THE WEATHER
Clearing and colder tonight; Thursday fair, colder, moderate to brisk southerly to westerly winds.

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JAPANESE PAPERS

State There is Great Opposition to Japanese Residents

TOKIO, Feb. 10.—The Japanese newspapers continue to be filled with despatches emanating from San Francisco, New York and London, indicating a serious increase of anti-Japanese sentiment in the Pacific coast states which is said to be rapidly spreading to interior states. The Asahi's San Francisco correspondent has cabled to the paper alleged statements and utterances of senators and others which are of a most sensational character. The despatches state that all Pacific states are developing grave opposition to the Japanese residents and urging legislative measures which would deprive such residents of all rights which enable them to reside and transact business in the states.

These despatches are being widely read throughout Japan and are creating a deep impression. The Asahi, which is independent politically, editorially comments on the despatches, however, urging upon the Japanese patience and a reliance upon the better elements among the Americans for a protection of their rights.

The Hochi, which is of the sensationalist press, makes heated and passionate comments on the American despatches and concludes with the Japanese proverb, "Even Buddha loses patience if his face is slapped thrice."

London despatches also depict the anti-Japanese situation in America as grave.

The attitude of the government officials here and of the better classes that absolutely control Japan remains unchanged. Americans everywhere are assured that Japan has no reason to believe that the action of the state legislatures will in any way affect the relations between the two countries.

It is believed here, however, that the sensational presentation of the situation by the California correspondents of the Japanese press must seriously affect the business future and standing not only of Americans, but of all foreigners in Japan. Ninety-nine per cent of the Japanese are unable to distinguish between the various nationalities. All of the foreigners in Japan are considered alike.

DEATHS

CURRAN—Miss Jane Curran died yesterday afternoon at her home, 228 Lawrence street, after a lingering illness, at the age of 36 years. She leaves two brothers, John of this city and Henry of New York.

BEANE—Mrs. Elisabeth T. Beane died yesterday afternoon at her home, 212 Tenth street, at the age of 84 years. She leaves her husband, Andrew J. Beane; one daughter, Marion Ingalls; one step-daughter, Miss Mary A. Beane; two brothers, John M. Hayes, of Sanford Me., and Charles J. Hayes of Togus, Me.; two sisters, Mrs. C. M. Moore of Lynn, and Mrs. M. C. Wilson, also of Lynn. She was a member of the Centralville Methodist church, Women's Relief corps, and the Centralville lodge of Rebekahs. Funeral notice later.

WILLIAMS—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella D. Williams took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 121 London street, Rev. Robert F. True and Rev. George E. Tomkinson officiating. There was singing by Messrs. Beavens and Davis, and the bearers were: Harry Etabrook, Frederick Hammond, Robert Lindsay and Alexander Lindsay. The floral offerings were especially profuse, among which were the following: Pillow, husband; wreaths, mother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williams, Mrs. Eli Harris, Armour and Co., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson; star on base, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ryan, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pangburn; baskets Miss Alice and Fred Hammond, Miss Ella Clegg, O. A. Draper and family; crescent on base, Immanuel Baptist church; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. David Contte, Mr. and Mrs. William Contte and family, William Gillespie, C. F. Young, Harry Esterbrook, W. C. T. U., Mr. and Mrs. C. McEvans and sons, Mr. and Mrs. E. Whittier, Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Russell, John McEvans and Mrs. Worcester, Miss Mary Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leath, Mr. and Mrs. William Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, Floyd Bible class, Mrs. S. Peterson, Mrs. M. Hodge, Elisabeth Jones, Ira Roberts, Annie Aldrich, and Emma Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payton, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. True, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kappler, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lindsay, Mrs. Tough, Mrs. Dundas and family, Miss Minnie Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dundas.

Burial was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of C. M. Young Co.

FAY—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Fay, an aunt of Most Rev. William H. O'Connell, who died Sunday afternoon at the home of her niece, Mrs. Henry Hatch, 42 Addington road, Brookline, took place yesterday morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of her niece, and was largely attended.

At the church of the Assumption, Brookline, at 10 o'clock, a solemn high funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. James P. E. O'Connell, secretary to the archbishop, and present in the sanctuary was His Grace, the archbishop, and a large number of priests of the diocese, including Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., and Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, this city.

After the ceremony, the funeral proceeded to the North Union station, Boston, where the body was placed on board the 11.30 train, arriving in Lowell at 12.07 p. m. On arriving in this city the funeral wended its way to the Catholic cemetery followed by the immediate relatives of the deceased. Present at the grave were a number of her friends of this city. The burial took place in the family lot, where prayers were read by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Frs. Ronan, Mullin and Tighe, O. M. I.

The bearers were four nephews of the deceased, John, Luke, Matthew and Edward O'Connell, all of this city. The funeral arrangements and burial were in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

HANSON—Mrs. Grace A. Hanson, aged 65 years, an old and respected resident of St. Michael's parish, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary McCann, No. 7 Hampshire place. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. McCann, and six grandchildren.

Funeral will take place Friday morning from her late home at 8.30 o'clock and there will be a high mass of requiem at St. Michael's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Jas. W. McKenna.

FUNERAL NOTICE

DOWD—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia Dowd, widow of Patrick Dowd, will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, and at 10 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FREE MUSICALE TONIGHT

The concert in the hall of the women's branch of the People's club, Runels building, at 7.45 tonight will be entirely free to the public and everybody is invited. It will be directed by Mr. Wilfred Kershaw, and he will be assisted by well known local artists in an excellent program. A concert so fine offered without price to the public is most unusual.

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Black Pepper, Stickney & Poors, ¼ lb. carton ... 4c
Best Teas, all kinds ... 25c lb.
Best Coffee, Fenway Blend ... 18c lb.
Cocoa—Walter Baker's, 20c ½ lb., 10c ¼ lb.
Spices—Stickney & Poors, all kinds ... 5c quarter lb.
Mustard—Stickney & Poors, 8c
Cream Tartar ... 6c quarter lb.
Extracts—all flavors, pure .. 7c
Corn Starch—pound package 5c
Baking Powder ... 12c lb.
8c a half lb., 5c quarter lb.
Saleratus ... per pound 4c
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Near Transfer Station. Boston Store, 90 Blackstone St.

SEC'Y MERRILL

Commends Sun Editorial and Police Dept.

Secretary Merrill of the Law and Order league yesterday telephoned to congratulate The Sun upon yesterday's editorial dealing with the damage done to Lowell by people who parade in public whatever evil they can find in Lowell and hold it up as indicative of general conditions. He never believed in such methods and he rejoices to find the practice so admirably condemned as it was in yesterday's editorial.

Mr. Merrill also spoke of the excellent work done by the police department and said he has never yet found Supt. Moffatt or Deputy Welch to fall down on any case. He believes the police board and the department as a whole is making an honest effort to enforce the law and if anybody has any evidence of violation it should be submitted to the police department rather than shouted from the house tops. On this we agree perfectly with Mr. Merrill.

From several sources The Sun has received similar compliments on the stand it has taken against the people who slander the city and thereby injure its reputation with outsiders who thus conclude that Lowell is a good city to keep away from.

Lowell is a good, peaceable and orderly city, a good city to live in, and especially a good city to do business in.

THE GARVEY CASE

The case of Thomas F. Garvey vs. City of Lowell is a thing of the past. The record of the settlement is now on file at the city treasurer's office, and the city this forenoon paid the sum of $1351.98, to avoid further litigation.

Upon receipt of that amount Francis W. Qua, counsel for Mr. Garvey, gave to the city treasurer the following legal acknowledgement, signed and sealed by Mr. Garvey:

Know all men by these presents: That I, Thomas F. Garvey, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and commonwealth of Massachusetts, plaintiff in the action of Thomas F. Garvey vs. City of Lowell, No. 14,773, in consideration of the settlement of said action and the payment to me of the amount of the judgment and costs, to wit, the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty-one dollars and ninety-eight cents ($1351.98), do hereby release and discharge the city of Lowell of and from all claims and demands, actions and causes of action, at law or in equity, which I have or may have against said city for any acts, doings or omissions of said city or any of its officers prior to Jan. 19, 1909.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal, etc.

HELD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Frank P. Cogger, son of Patrolman Daniel W. Cogger, observed the 16th anniversary of his birth Monday by entertaining a number of his schoolmates and friends at the home of his parents, 834 Moody street. During the evening young Mr. Cogger was presented a handsome signet ring. Games were played and a musical and literary program carried out. Refreshments were served during the evening.

PORTER A CROOK

Has Criminal Record in Several Other Cities

Man Who Was Charged With Keeping Liquor Collapsed in Police Court—Other Offenders Disposed of in Court

George A. and Jeanette Porter, who travel under many aliases and claim to be man and wife and thought to be two of the cleverest crooks in this section of the country, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on complaints charging them with the larceny of clothing and silverware, the property of Pierre Poissant and Mrs. Amanda Rivers. Porter entered a plea of not guilty, while his wife pleaded guilty. The court, however, found both guilty and sentenced the man to one year in the house of correction and the woman to six months in jail.

As sentence was pronounced on the woman she collapsed and fell to the floor and it was some time before she revived.

On the first count they were charged with the larceny of 18 knives, nine forks, one spoon, a shawl, five towels, one book, two table cloths and several minor articles, the property of Pierre Poissant and the second count charged them with the larceny of three curtains, three table cloths, a chemise and ten yards of lace, the property of Mrs. Amanda Rivers.

Pierre Poissant said he had examined the stolen articles and found that the greater portion of the articles belonged to him. He had them stored in a room in the building in Middlesex street, formerly known as the Hotel Frontenac.

Mrs. Amanda Rivers was called and identified some of the articles as her property.

Patrolman Peter Cawley said he arrested the couple yesterday morning. He went there with a search warrant and found the different articles hidden in various parts of the room, the silverware being stowed away in a pillow on the bed.

Testifying in his own behalf Porter said that when he saw the articles he asked his wife where she had got them and when she told him he told her to put them back, but she refused to do so.

"Where did you come from?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Manchester," was the response.

"Were you ever arrested?"

"Yes, in Lewiston. I got sixty days for being drunk."

"Ever arrested in Concord?"

"Yes, I was charged with horse stealing, but was acquitted.

"Were you arrested for passing worthless checks?"

"Not there."

"Where?"

"Portland."

Handing the witness a newspaper clipping containing a picture Deputy Welch asked: "Is that a good picture of you?"

"I would say it was."

"Did you cut it out of a paper and keep it?"

"I don't know."

"You didn't know that that was in your room?"

"No, sir."

"You were known under the name of Bredo there, weren't you?"

"That was my stepfather's name."

"Were you known as True also?"

"No, sir."

Deputy Welch said that Porter had said he was married to his wife in Auburn seven years ago, while she said that she was married to Porter in Sherbrooke about 12 years ago.

Judge Hadley asked Porter if he was a well man.

"Not very well," was the answer.

"What is the matter with you?"

"I am a morphine fiend."

"How long have you been addicted to the use of that drug?"

"About seven or eight years."

"Is your wife addicted to the same trouble?"

"Yes, sir."

The court then found both guilty and sentenced the man to the house of correction and the woman to jail.

According to the police, Porter is known as Fred and Frank Bredo and Ernest and Edward True and is well known to the police of New England. Both Porter and his wife are morphine fiends and while in the police station the drug had to be given to them on several occasions.

Tried to Take Her Life

Jessie Harrison, who will be 20 years old in a couple of weeks, was arrested by the Nashua police yesterday after she had made an attempt to commit suicide by jumping into one of the canals and she was brought to this city last night by Sergt. Thomas Atkinson.

She was charged with being a stubborn child and entered a plea of not guilty. The girl's mother said that she could do nothing with Jessie and that a short time ago the girl ran away from her.

The Harrison girl said that she had run away with a fellow as she had got tired of living with her mother. She heaped abuse upon her mother, but when she was sentenced to the woman's prison at Sherborn she broke out in a crying spell and shouting at the top of her voice said: "Take me back, mamma, please. I will be good. Forgive me this time."

Man Collapsed in Dock

Joseph McKenna, charged with illegally keeping liquor in a house in Howard street, collapsed in the dock in police court this morning while waiting for his case to be called. He was taken from the dock to the floor below, where Drs. Bonner and Smith attended him. When he was able to be brought back to the court room the case against him was continued till tomorrow morning.

Neglected His Wife

Eugene Benoit pleaded not guilty to a complaint made by his wife, charging him with failing to provide for her since the first of October. He was placed on probation.

Pleaded Not Guilty

John E. Bell of this city and George T. Fagan, of Lawrence, were arrested late yesterday afternoon by Patrolman William G. Bumps and when asked to plead to complaints of drunkenness, entered pleas of not guilty. Bell said he had a few drinks, but was not intoxicated. He said that Fagan, who was a stranger to him, was annoying him and it was while trying to get rid of his objectionable friend that he was arrested. Fines of $2 were imposed in both cases.

Stole a Hammer

Charles E. Badger pleaded guilty to the larceny of a hammer, the property of James F. Corbett, the pawnbroker. Badger said he was drunk and did not know what he was doing. He was fined $6.

Drunken Offenders

Thomas F. Daly was charged with being drunk. It was his 22d appearance before the court and his third time within a year. Inasmuch as he has a wife and family to support the court decided to give him another chance. He was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail and placed on probation for one year.

James McDeavitt received a sentence to the state farm.

Jennie Fletcher made her 26th visit in the court and for the next three months will be found at the Lowell jail.

James Murphy, second offender, was fined $6.

Five first offenders were each fined $2 and eight simple drunks were released.

HAD A SHOCK

The ambulance was called to 245 Tenth street this morning about 8.30 o'clock and Mrs. John Keefe, an elderly woman who had suffered a paralytic shock, was removed to St. John's hospital. The woman was semi-conscious at the time, but the doctors at the hospital are of the belief that her condition is not serious.

ARTHUR D. HILL

May be John B. Moran's Successor

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Unless Gov. Draper changes his mind he will appoint Arthur Delon Hill, a former opponent of John B. Moran, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the district attorney of Suffolk county, say those close to the governor.

Another prominent republican lawyer, who usually knows what is going on at the state house, said last night that the governor in a talk with Mr. Hill had tendered him the position and Mr. Hill had accepted.

A NEW BUREAU

For the Department of Interior

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The establishment of a children's bureau in the department of the interior is provided for in a bill on expenditures in the interior department which was decided upon favorably in the house today.

The bill places the bureau under the direction of a chief to be appointed by the president who is to receive $5000 a year.

The purpose of the bureau as outlined in the measure would be to investigate and report on all matters pertaining to the welfare of children and child life, infant mortality, the birth rate, physical degeneracy, juvenile courts, illegitimacy, dangerous occupation, employment, legislation affecting children in the several states and territories and any other facts bearing upon children's welfare. The bill provides for an assistant chief and a large force together with four special agents.

BILL PRESENTED

To Tax the Railroads in Maine

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 9.—An act relating to the taxation of steam railroads was introduced in the senate today by Mr. Staples of Knox. It provides that between the first day of April and the first day of May of each year the state board of assessors shall appraise the railroads doing business in this state with their franchises, rolling stock, road bed and fixtures at their cash value and upon this valuation to levy a tax of one per cent, so as to make such tax upon railroads as equal as may be to all other property in the state. The line, buildings and fixtures shall be taxed in towns and cities where situated as like property is taxed in these places. In the case of railroads extending beyond the limits of the state the state board shall apprise the road within the state and so much of the franchise as is owned or operated in the state. The act gives authority to cause officials of the road and employes to appear and give evidence.

M. A. CORCORAN

Mr. Michael A. Corcoran, for many years in the employ of the Merrimack Clothing Co. has been promoted to the position of hat buyer for that establishment.

Mr. Corcoran is thoroughly familiar with Lowell men's hat wants. He has had considerable practical experience, having been associated with the Merrimack as a men's furnishing and hat salesman for the past dozen years.

He is a man of affairs and is made of the live kind of material that has constantly forced him to the front.

He has already entered upon his new duties and will endeavor to merit the patronage of his many friends, and claims he will have the most up-to-date live hat department in Lowell.

TUNGSTEN LAMPS AT LESS THAN COST

To be used on our lines only. We sell Tungsten lamps of 80, 50, 40 and 20 candle power. The last mentioned size can be supplied in a limited number to each of our customers. These lamps give a better quality of light than the old carbon lamps, for use one half as much current.

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READING HER PALM

INTERESTING TALK

By Charles Burleigh Before Southwick Textile Club

Charles E. Burleigh of the General Electric Co., addressing the Southwick Textile club as to its relation existing between the textile and electrical industries, said in part:

That the textile and electrical industries are more closely allied than you appreciate is perhaps best evidenced by the fact that the electrical concern with which I am so fortunate as to be connected, sold during the last 12 months one million dollars worth of electrical machinery to textile industries, while during the same period they purchased a like amount of manufactured textile product.

Notwithstanding this reciprocity which has existed for many years, and the fact that no industries are conducted by a higher grade of intellect, there are no two classes of manufacture in which the personnel of each, with a very few exceptions, is less familiar with the scope, characteristics and limitations of the other.

This may, in part, be explained by the fact that the intricacies of each line are so exacting as to make it almost, if not quite, impossible for any individual to gain prominence in his chosen profession and leave him time enough for the required study of the characteristics of an exceedingly complex industry, the complete knowledge of which is, at best, but incident to his ultimate success.

These conditions have resulted in doing more to retard the more complete electrification of textile establishments than many appreciate, for it is a fact that an improperly installed electrical equipment is a positive detriment.

In the early days of electrical development, the many advantages presented by its adaptation to manufacturing industries led to its careful investigation by the progressive textile manufacturers. At the same time the attractive market presented by the textile industry was an alluring bait for the electric manufacturer which led him to dilate on its many advantages, and his profound ignorance of the conditions to be met and the unfamiliarity of the textile people with electrical matters resulted in the installation, to a limited extent, of the only type of generators and motors at that period available, i. e., direct current apparatus. Apparatus at that period as unfitted for textile work would be a gas engine today in a picker room, or a Leonard governor on a printing machine.

The experience gained by the textile manufacturer from the use of this apparatus was such as to convince him that the electric drive was totally unsuited for his business, and he so informed his associates until this was generally conceded by textile engineers and manufacturers, to the extent that its extensive introduction was delayed many years.

The advent of multi-phase alternating current, however, made available apparatus, the characteristics of which when properly adapted and installed, offered a panacea for all the draw-backs previously encountered in connection with the use of direct-current apparatus. That the many advantages presented by this class of apparatus is appreciated by the textile industry is evidenced by the extent to which it has been adopted.

During the intervening time a few, and a very few, employes of electric manufacturing concerns, appreciating the mistakes made in the early attempts to electrify textile mills, and also appreciating the fact that this industry presented special problems requiring careful study, specialized on this equipment with the result that it is possible today to install such an electrical equipment in a textile mill as will more nearly approach ideal conditions than is possible in connection with almost any other industry.

The flattering results attained by these few electricians previously mentioned have led the majority to feel that being satisfied that alternating current motors are best adapted to textile mill work, the only other necessary conditions to be met is to determine its size.

Many installations have been made on this basis, and the purchaser never having had other experience with the electric drive and becoming familiar with some advantages over former methods is satisfied, not appreciating that there are many other advantages which would have been available at little, if any, additional expense had he availed himself of and given due weight to the advice and recommendations of one of the few who have made this particular application the subject of special study.

I cannot be accused of tooting my own horn in the foregoing statement, from the fact that while I gave considerable time and study to this subject during the early adaptation of alternating current apparatus to textile work, the last five years have been devoted to other lines.

In the meantime this development has advanced by leaps and bounds, to the extent that a large percentage of my former experience and study is antiquated and out of date.

This calls to mind another condition which is a fact, that no matter how advanced in electrical science a student may be on completing his schooling on the subject, his study can never cease and he must so equip himself as to make his knowledge available for commercial application.

This can be more readily accomplished by allying himself with a large electrical manufacturing concern where the problems are more numerous and diversified than he would be brought in contact with in many years of single effort.

Here also he has the benefit of the argument, discussion and advice of his associates, only by the aid of which can he become well grounded in his chosen line, and he only who has once enjoyed these facilities, and abandoned them to start out in a consulting capacity, can appreciate how quickly he becomes a back number if he divorces himself entirely from his former associates.

I will make a bold statement and one with which I do not expect you to agree.

I will admit it to be poor judgment to ask a barber if you need a haircut, but this is a subject on which you should be qualified to pass judgment without advice, but were I a textile manufacturer, contemplating the equipment of a new mill or an addition to an existing one, I would feel that I was best conserving the interests of my stockholders by selecting the electrical manufacturing concern that had been fortunate enough to have had the broadest experience in this line, and place myself in their hands through my mill engineer.

This seems like pretty radical advice, let us, therefore, discuss the effect.

The electric manufacturer has every reason for wishing to promote the success of this line of business; he will, therefore, permanently injure his business by recommending the electric drive where it is not to the advantage of the customer, for one poor installation will do him more injury than a dozen good ones will counteract.

The lower the cost of the electric drive the more popular it becomes. It is, therefore, more to his interest to effect an economical installation than to the purchaser.

Let a dishonest or inefficient electrician make one installation on this basis and fail to do the purchaser justice, and his jealous competitors would make it impossible for him to profit further in this line. On this basis the purchaser's only care need be in making his original selection, and it is obvious that this should be made with great care.

The fact that many textile installations have been made on the foregoing basis during the last ten years has had more to do with the remarkable textile electrical development than any other one feature, and I have yet to learn of an equipment so installed which has proved unsatisfactory in either cost or operation.

In this somewhat extended preamble I have made reference to certain conditions which may be of interest to discuss; for instance, that direct-current apparatus, as at present developed, is totally unfitted for textile work while alternating current apparatus is ideal. The electric equipment of a textile mill consists of generators, switchboard, indicating and recording instruments, switches, conductors, safety devices, lights and motors.

Let us start with the generators. If they are of the direct current type they are subject to limitations. First, the current supplied must be at a given pressure which cannot be changed.

If our local conditions are such as require that the generator be located at any appreciable distance from the motors to be operated the conductors necessary to deliver the current become so large as to be burdensome, to say nothing of their excessive cost, for the reason that 500 volts is the highest pressure for which it is desirable to design direct-current motors for stationary work.

Being unable to procure 500 volt lamps or reduce or change the voltage of our generator, we must install other low voltage generators for our lighting.

In the event of trouble with either of these generators, neither will do the work of the other. Both generators must be equipped with commutators and brushes, on the perfect functioning of which the continuity of operation is dependent, also due to the fact that direct-current generators are available only of the revolving armature type, in which the total delivered current at maximum pressure is carried by the moving member, they are less reliable than alternating current generators of corresponding capacity.

In the event of extensions and enlargement of the plant involving the erection of additional buildings or the acquiring of additional property covering extended areas, the comparatively low voltage made necessary by the use of direct-current apparatus, prohibits the possibility of supplying the whole property from one central distributing power plant, thus increasing fixed charges as well as doubling the labor account.

On the other hand, the use of alternating current generators permits of the adoption of any voltage which local conditions make desirable and the selected voltage capable of any change at any time.

Let us consider a hypothetical case of a mill requiring a power plant of say 2000 h. p., with the buildings and machinery so located as not to represent any excessive distances.

We should select for this installation alternating current generators, because they are most flexible; of the revolving field type, because the part of the generator which must be carefully insulated for the reason that it carries the maximum current at the maximum voltage, remaining stationary is less liable to break down; three phase, because a three-phase circuit will transmit a given amount of energy over a minimum weight of conductors, and also is best fitted for motor work; sixty cycles, because that frequency is most universally used and is best adapted to both motor and lighting work; 600 volts, because our local conditions are such that our investment in dollars or loss in energy in conductors will not be excessive.

Now if we wish to utilize some 200 h. p. of this plant for lighting we can install transformers of this capacity capable of reducing our voltage to 110 and operate our lights from these same generators.

Now let us suppose we have an excellent opportunity to purchase a piece of property—say two miles distant—where it would be desirable to use—say 500 h. p.

We can install transformers of this capacity and raise our 600 volts to—say 2300 volts—transmit it two miles over small inexpensive conductors, and either use it at this pressure or by means of other transformers reduce it to any desired voltage.

It will be seen that the generator voltage in no way limits the distributing voltage which may be anything that local conditions make desirable.

The switchboard and instruments would not present any material differences other than the switches which, for direct current, would be of the open type, while for alternating current would be oil immersed and totally enclosed, less expensive and much safer to handle.

The alternating current conductors at the same voltage would be three-fourths the weight and proportionately lower in cost than the conductors for direct current.

Due to the possibility of utilizing high voltages for transmission lines, distances can be covered at normal conductor cost that would be absolutely prohibitive were direct-current employed.

We now come to the most important item of difference, namely, the motors.

Direct-current motors are, as previously stated, in their present development totally unfitted for textile work.

Direct-current motors being equipped with commutators and brushes make them undesirable from an insurance point of view, and the attention and upkeep required make their use excessively expensive, as well as more or less unreliable.

For the reason that this type of motor required more or less attention, they must be located in accessible places, thus occupying floor space which could otherwise be utilized for producing machinery, but most important of all, the speed of the direct current motor is largely dependent on the strength of the magnetic field in which its armature rotates.

LIFE OF A PIMPLE

Complexions are Cleared and Pimples Disappear Overnight Without Trouble.

The dispensers of poslam, a new skin discovery, ask that notice be given that no one is urged to purchase it without first obtaining an experimental package. Those who have tried it will find the fifty-cent box, on sale at Falls & Burkinshaw's and Carter & Sherburne's, and all drug stores, is sufficient to cure the worst cases of eczema, where the surface affected is not too large. The itching ceases on first application. It will also cure acne, tetter, blotches, scaly scalp, hives, barber's and every other form of itch, including itching feet. Being flesh colored and containing no grease, the presence of poslam on exposed surfaces, such as the face and hands, is not perceptible. Water and soap cannot be used in connection with it, as these irritate and prolong skin troubles, sometimes even causing them.

As to the experimental package of poslam, it can be had free of charge by mail of the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York. It alone is sufficient to clear the complexion overnight, and to rid the face of pimples in twenty-four hours.

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LINCOLN DAY

WILL NOT BE LEGAL HOLIDAY IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—Lincoln Day in New Hampshire will not be a legal holiday, but will be generally observed. The state senate yesterday killed a bill passed by the house of representatives which aimed to make February 12 each year a holiday. The senate and house agreed on a resolution asking Governor Quinby to proclaim next Friday a Lincoln Memorial Day throughout the state, the governor issuing the proclamation last night.

SUM OF $63,000

HAS BEEN PAID OUT IN STRIKE BENEFITS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Over $63,000 has been paid out in strike and lockout benefits by the International Brotherhood of Papermakers, Pulp and Sulphite and Mill Workers since its last convention according to the report of International Secretary J. J. O'Connor before the body yesterday. The brotherhood is still in a strong financial condition, however, declared the secretary.

International President J. T. Carey, of Watertown, N. Y., condemned the conviction of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, and said his organization would stand behind the men until the end.

Various other reports of officers and committees were heard.

The sessions were continued today, when the remaining reports to be heard were presented.

SENATOR KNOX

Right to Seat in Cabinet Questioned

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Much discussion has been aroused over a question raised yesterday as to whether Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania, who has been selected to be secretary of state in the Taft cabinet is eligible under the constitution of the United States to accept the office.

Attention has been called to section VI, article 1 of the constitution, which reads as follows:

"No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States, which shall have been created, or the emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time."

During Mr. Knox's present term as senator, the salaries of all cabinet officers were increased from $8000 to $12,000 a year. As the term of Senator Knox does not expire until March 3, 1911, two years after the time when his name would be sent by Mr. Taft to the senate for confirmation, the question is asked if Mr. Knox will be able constitutionally to accept the state portfolio.

Mr. Knox declined to discuss the question when the matter was brought to his attention last night.

The only precedent recalled in a similar case was that of the late Senator Ransom of North California, who was appointed by President Cleveland to be minister to Mexico, the emoluments of which office were raised while Mr. Ransom was a member of the senate. Under the decision rendered by the comptroller of the treasury it was held that Senator Ransom could not become minister to Mexico.

THE DOG SHOW

RICHARD CROKER AMONG THE PRIZE WINNERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—George J. Gould, Richard Croker, Jr., and Samuel Untermyer were among the more prominent owners of prize winning dogs at the Westminster Kennel club's annual show in Madison Square Garden yesterday. Mr. Gould's pointer dog, "Furlough Cupto," took first prize in the novice class and captured the honors in the class for limit pointers under 55 pounds. Mr. Gould's pointer "Furlough Dusteri" was also a prize winner.

Mr. Croker's bull dog, "Broadway" took first prize for bull dogs over 45 pounds, while Samuel Untermyer's famous collie, "Greystone Glorifier" captured five prizes.

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FOR ERECTION OF DRINKING FOUNTAIN IN JAPAN

WARREN, Feb. 10.—Dr. John C. Cutter of this town, one of the few foreigners to receive the Order of the Meiji, or Rising Sun, at the hands of the emperor of Japan, provides in his will, filed here yesterday, for the perpetuation of the honor. He stipulates that the fact shall be engraved upon his tombstone, together with the usual mention of the time and place of his birth and death. As a further means of keeping his memory in the minds of Japanese people, his last will provides for a bequest to be forwarded by the Japanese legation at Washington to the mayor and council of Sapparo, in Hokaido, Japan, for the purpose of erecting there a public drinking fountain to his memory.

Harvard college is made the principal beneficiary of his estate, valued at about $50,000 although the entire bequest to that institution is to be held in trust for other purposes.

BOSTON CLUB

CHALLENGED QUINCY CLUB TO SERIES OF RACES

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Chairman Bryan S. Permar of the Boston Yacht club, yesterday formally challenged the Quincy Yacht club to race a series for the Quincy challenge cup, the challenging yacht, which will be of the Sonderklasse, to be named later.

The challenge is the first made this season but in view of the number of boats for this class which will probably be built for the international races with the Germans next summer it is expected many other clubs will also compete.

The Quincy cup is a perpetual challenge cup given by the Quincy Yacht club in 1898, to promote small yacht racing.

MORE ASSOCIATE JUSTICES

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—The house of representatives yesterday passed a bill increasing the number of associate justices in the superior court from four to five.

The sum of $40,960 for Dartmouth college was appropriated.

NEW MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATIONS

Water Power Development Co., Boston; to deal in water power devices of all kinds; capital, $50,000. President and treasurer, Richard F. Barry, No. 141 Milk street, Boston; clerk, Howard C. Fisher, No. 19 Congress street, West Roxbury.

Charles E. Gibson Co., Boston; real estate business; capital, $100,000. President, Charles E. Gibson; treasurer, James S. Gibson; clerk, Charles W. Brown, all of No. 131 State street, Boston.

Worcester Syndicate, Inc., Worcester; general farming and stock raising; capital, $25,000. President, Jerome R. George; treasurer and clerk, Willard A. Winn, both of Worcester.

Staten Co., Melrose; contracting and building; capital, $5000. President and treasurer, Fred N. Staten, Melrose; clerk, Daniel C. Fisher, No. 109 Franklin street, Boston.

Libbie Printing Co., Boston; general printing and publishing; capital, $24,000. President and clerk, Charles F. Libbie, No. 187 Neponset avenue; treasurer, James P. Murphy, No. 18 Rosemont street, both of Dorchester.

DeMerritte School, Inc., Boston; carry on a school in all its branches; capital, $50,000. President, Florence DeMerritte; treasurer and clerk, Edwin DeMerritte, both of No. 78 Bellevue street, Boston.

U. S. Grant Cole, Inc., Boston; general restaurant business; capital, $50,000. President and clerk, Charles W. Lavers; treasurer, U. S. Grant Cole, both of Boston.

Boston Plastic Art Co., Boston; manufacture and sell statuary and art objects of all kinds; capital, $50,000. President and treasurer, A. Morris Greenblatt, Boston; clerk, Minnie Cohen, East Boston.

Hawkridge Bros. Co., Boston; to deal in iron, steel and other metals, capital, $500,000. President, Edwin Hawkridge; treasurer, John F. Hawkridge; clerk, Joseph C. Clapp, all of No. 303 Congress street, Boston.

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NOVEL CHARTER

Passed for the City of Claremont

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—The action of the state house of representatives in passing, yesterday, the bill providing for a city charter for Claremont, is believed to assure a system of government in that city unique among the governments in New England. Up to the last election, Claremont was the largest town in the state, but at that time the citizens voted to adopt a city government and charter.

Under the provisions of the charter the usual ward lines are eliminated and officers are elected without regard to the section of the city in which they reside. Non-partisan politics will obtain, in the election of the mayor and nine councilmen, in whom the city government will be vested. The latter serve without pay. The mayor is given the power of appointing to office several municipal officers who are usually elected by the people. Some of these officers likewise will have under their supervision the work of customary distinct departments and have the appointive power over them. Provision is made for the removal of the mayor by the city council in case of any abuse of his responsibilities.

LIFE SENTENCE

Imposed on Defendants in Murder Trials

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Two murder trials in Connecticut ended yesterday with the imposition of the life sentence in each instance. John Cozeck, a Pole, who killed a companion and threw the body in the water at Milford, and John Bogardus, an enlisted man of the coast artillery, stationed at Fort Trumbull, who, with robbery as the motive, killed Dyer Copeland, a farmer, at New London, were the men sentenced. Two murder trials also started yesterday in the state courts.

YACHT CLUB OFFICERS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—The Eastern Yacht club at its annual meeting at the Algonquin club last night elected the following officers:

Commodore, Washington B. Thomas; vice-commodore, F. Lewis Clark; rear commodore, Robert W. Emmons; secretary, Henry Taggard; treasurer, Patrick Jackson.

Louis M. Clark and William Carlton succeeded Henry S. A. Moors and A. Appleton Packard on the executive committee.

It was decided to adopt the rules of the Atlantic Coast conference.

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CHINESE APPEAL

Ask President to Give Them Same Rights as Japanese

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.—In a telegraphic communication addressed to President Roosevelt and sent yesterday by the Consolidated Benevolent association, better known as the Chinese Six Companies, the attention of the president is called to certain instances where it is affirmed the executive department sought for the Japanese residents of California many rights and privileges that the Chinese have long been denied. The message in part was:

"In view of the commendable and just efforts recently made by you on behalf of the Japanese in regard to certain laws lately proposed and at the present time partly adopted by the legislature of California, now convened at Sacramento, we, the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association, representing the whole Chinese people of the United States feel justified in respectfully calling your attention to certain conditions pertaining to the Chinese, both citizens and aliens, in this country, which are in direct and flagrant conflict with the sentiment expressed by you, both lately and hereafter relative to the Japanese. We also feel it our duty toward those whom we represent respectfully to propound to you certain questions which are of the most vital interest to the Chinese residents of the United States, and answers to which we respectfully but earnestly request. These things we do with all due regard to the dignity of the executive department of the United States and also in the belief that you having so unqualifiedly expressed your views in favor of the Japanese cannot fail to render the same justice to the Chinese when the facts have been laid before the country. We beg leave to refer you, Mr. President, to the fact that there is a discrimination in favor of Japanese aliens as against Chinese citizens, residents and privileged classes of this country.

"Such a discrimination is very apparent from the fact that the department of commerce and labor, governed by the policy of your administration, imposes upon the citizens of Chinese descent domiciled Chinese merchants, their families, the privileged classes of Chinese under the treaty, every conceivable embarrassment which is in no way suffered by the Japanese.

"We appeal to you, Mr. President, to right the wrongs suffered by the Chinese of Reno, state of Nevada, whose property, without due process of law, was destroyed and the occupants turned out in the street homeless and destitute.

"We ask of you to exert a strong protest against the present school laws of California, which discriminate against Chinese children whether citizens or aliens, and we respectfully ask you to assist us in taking these laws into the courts to test their constitutionality, as you have stated you will do regarding any law which may become such, affecting Japanese children.

"It is a well known fact that inspectors of immigration throughout the United States where Chinese are concerned, are violating every letter of the fourth amendment to the constitution of the United States. Chinese are arrested, searched and their papers, the only means by which they may be identified and saved from the humiliation of arrest and deportation, confiscated. Is there no remedy to protect these people from such flagrant injustices?"

The memorial cites various alleged abuses that are charged to the United States immigration officers.

"It is a well known fact," it cites, "that under your administration the immigration inspectors treat the Chinese en route to the east from San Francisco as if they were escaping criminals."

It is pointed out that domiciled Chinese applying for admission to the United States are held in communicado while their right to enter is investigated; that Chinese homes are invaded by immigrant inspectors without fear of reprimand; that Chinese are dragged from their hearths, confined in prison without bail, denied the advice of counsel and even refused the right to consult their own medical advisers. Other alleged abuses are described, and the memorial suggests that the immigration officers are merely obeying the departmental rules and regulations.

President Roosevelt is asked to recommend to congress the enactment of laws eliminating from jurisprudence the "pernicious doctrine laid down by the supreme court of the United States versus Ju Toy, 198 U. S. 253."

The memorial concludes:—

"The cause and effect which prompts our call to you for justice lies near your hand. Knowing your sense of justice to all people of whatever nation, class or condition, we confidently appeal to you, Mr. President, to right the wrongs suffered by native-born citizens and the subjects of the great empire which since our existence as a nation has ever been a firm and good friend of this great nation."

The memorial is signed for the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association by Ng Nom, secretary, and O. P. Stidger, general counsel.

COURSE OF LECTURES

John Whitehead, A. M., Th. B., of Boston, the well-known lecturer, will give a course of three free lectures in Middlesex hall, every Thursday evening during February. His subject will be "The Psychical Phenomena of the Bible." This course of lectures has received very favorable mention in Boston. The lecturer brings to bear on the subject the modern developments and investigations of psychical research. He will unfold the nature of these phenomena, explaining how they take place, and showing their bearing on the psychical phenomena of the Bible. The facts bearing on the problem will be given, and the rational steps will be shown by which the life after death is proved.

Mr. Whitehead was formerly president of Urbana university, Urbana, O. He is also a writer of some note, and for the past four years has been engaged in the lecture field.

The New Orleans Times Democrat of Jan. 17th makes the following reference to Mr. Whitehead's lectures in its Boston correspondence:

"Rev. Dr. John Whitehead, of whom I have before spoken as giving courses of Sunday afternoon lectures on the teachings of Swedenborg, is one of the most able, luminous and brilliant expositors of the new church. He is a scientific thinker, familiar with all modern advance, and to learning he adds a singular force and clearness in spiritual thought and a charm of manner in his address, which are among the most interesting and important events of the Boston winter."

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COMMON COUNCIL

Refers Coburn Lot Matter to Committee

The common council met in regular session last night and held a short and rather unimportant meeting.

President Quat called to order at 8.15 with 18 members present.

The annual reports of the board of health, fire department and monthly report of the city messenger were ordered on file.

Petition of Capt. Gardner W. Pearson of Co. C for reimbursement from city of $40.83, money expended for long distance range shooting at Walnut Hill, there being no long distance range in this immediate vicinity. This matter was ordered to the committee on claims, as were petitions for personal injuries.

An order transferring the playgrounds or yards connected with schools from the lands and buildings department to the park department was voted.

John order relative to department transfers was adopted in concurrence with board of aldermen.

The Lowell board of trade was given leave to withdraw its petition for the purchase of the Coburn property by the board of aldermen, and the matter was before the council for consideration.

Councilman Wilder wanted to know why the petitioners were given leave to withdraw.

Councilman Jodoin said that with accrued interest and loss of taxation, the city would have paid at the end of ten years $36,000 for the property.

Councilman Wilde moved that the matter be referred to a joint special committee, and it was so voted by a vote of 12 to 10.

Councilman Welch having voted in minority, moved notice of reconsideration at the next meeting.

IRISH QUESTION

DISCUSSED BY THE ELIOT CLUB LAST NIGHT

The John Eliot Literary club met last evening at the hospitable residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horne of Westford street and considered the question of Irish Home Rule, the principal speaker being Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Mr. Artemus Holden of Nashua read a paper on Charles Stewart Parnell, while another on the Home Rule movement was read by Dana W. Stockbridge. There were numerous Irish readings by John E. Graham and songs by James E. Donnelly, John J. Kelty presiding at the piano. The program concluded with a discussion of the Irish league convention in Dublin by Rev. Mr. Bigelow. Refreshments and a social hour followed.

The next meeting of the club will be held on March 16 at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. VanDuersen of 30 Bellevue street. The evening will be given over to an Irish costume party, and the members of the club will appear in dress representing the various periods of Ireland's greatness.

DIV. II A. O. H.

ELECTED OFFICERS TO TAKE CHARGE OF SOCIAL

The regular meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall, and considerable business of importance was transacted. The following officers were elected to take charge of the social to be held in Hibernian hall on Feb. 19: General manager, Michael Connolly; assistant general manager, Patrick Hickey; floor director, Michael M. Quealey; assistant floor director, John F. Duggan; chief aid, Joseph M. Molloy; chairman of reception committee, John H. Hickey; chairman of general committee, John Laity; secretary, William Nelson.

BASKETBALL AT Y. M. C. A.

Thursday evening the Newton Y. M. C. A. first team will play the Brownies, the local first team, at the Young Men's Christian association. The Newton boys are now counted the fastest Y. M. C. A. team in the state, having defeated on their own floor both Haverhill and Boston. The Brownies have never been defeated on their home floor this year.

The Musketaquids will play the Employed Boys' team. A large number of the Musketaquids are expected to "root" for their team. It will be an exciting game.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Cotton futures opened steady. Feb. 9.55 bid; March 9.64; May 9.56; July 9.52; Aug. 9.41 bid; Oct. 9.34; Dec. 9.29; Jan. 9.27.

THE BURKES WON

Took Two Points From St. John's Team

The Burkes and St. John's of the Catholic league met on the Crescent alleys last night and the former team won two of the three points

Two games were played in the Corporation league. In one of the games the Boott team defeated the Massachusetts team and in the other game the Lawrence team defeated the Hamiltons by a narrow margin. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE

Burkes—Wynne 232, Higgins 289, Duggan 266, Gleason 262, McCormack 269, total 1378.

St. John's—F. Kinch 230, Larkin 255, Duffey 262, D. Kinch 265, Walker 265, total 1256.

CORPORATION LEAGUE

Boott—Abbott 253, Kirby 268, Gunson 256, Luce 265, Weatherby 293, total 1355.

Massachusetts—Bickell 261, Cove 223, Kennedy 211, Prebble 245, Moran 263, total 1293.

Lawrence—W. A. S. 249, Climax 278, Robbins 260, Butters 246, Childs 253, total 1286.

Hamilton—Johnson 263, Hovey 215, Marshall 273, Gould 251, Dodge 246, total 1278.

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Lowell—White 201, Aiken 270, Johnson 263, Guthrie 237, Murphy 261, total 1222.

Lawrence—McCarthy 253, Stacey 222, Johnson 220, Sub 226, Wagner 229, total 1149.

EMPIRES WON

Empires—Dayton 262, Kelley 264, Leveque 292, Jordan 266, Frappier 257, total 1341.

M. S. S. C.—Charles 245, Elmore 238, White 254, Blake 260, Davis 242, total 1239.

ROYALS DEFEATED

L. O. P.—J. Choquette 254, Maloney 280, F. Choquette 258, Connolly 266, Shepard 261, total 1351.

Royals—Walsh 267, Courtois 252, Cummings 245, Frenchette 252, Buckley 271, total 1287.

260 SOLDIERS

SAID TO HAVE BEEN LANDED AT TUMBEZ

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Feb. 10.—Considerable excitement has been caused here by the news that the Peruvian gunboat Lima recently arrived at Tumbez, which lies close to the coast near the Ecuadorean border, had landed a military commission with 260 well equipped soldiers. It is believed here that the intention of the commission is to study and prepare plans of the frontier.

The three Japanese who were captured two weeks ago near the Peruvian frontier and brought here by soldiers are still in prison.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Charles H. Fisher, a member of the city's board of finance, committed suicide at his home, 1138 Townsend street, last night, by taking carbolic acid. Worry over an investigation of his board is thought to have temporarily unbalanced his mind.

This Backache Recipe Will Also Cure Kidney Trouble

To make up enough of the "Dandelion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore, weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties before you realize it. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after awhile.

ARREST WOMAN

ON CHARGE OF LARCENY OF $2,500

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Hattie E. Roy, aged 48 years, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., was arrested at the North station last night as she stepped from a train from the North, as a fugitive from justice, the police stating she is wanted in St. Johnsbury on the charge of the larceny of $2500 from J. L. Peck, a boarder in her home.

ON LINCOLN

REV. MR. WATERS READS PAPER AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

Rev. Wilson Waters of Chelmsford read an interesting and scholarly paper on Lincoln before the members of the Educational club, yesterday afternoon. Several members of the club also read papers.

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(SEE WINDOW DISPLAY)

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36x72 Axminster Rugs, former price $4.50, now at $3.29
36x63 Arlington Rugs, former price $7.50, now at.....$4.50
6-9x9—7-6x9—7-6x10-6—8-3x10-6—Axminster Rugs, former prices from $12 to $25 will be sold at.....$7.50 to $16.95
9x10-6—9x11-6—9x12—Axminster Rugs, former prices from $25 to $32, will now be sold at.....$12.95 to $19.95
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Size 36x108 All Bound 1-2 of Art Squares, extra heavy wool, real value $4.00, for $1.25
9x12 Fiber Art Squares, real value $12, for.....$6.95
9x12 Fiber Art Squares, real value $9, for.....$4.95
7-6x10-6 Fiber Art Squares, real value $7.50, for $3.95

Sale No. 2

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"COP" BADLY FOOLED

Fired a Shot After a Supposed Criminal

Who Was Running Along Moody Street to Keep Warm Last Night -- Two Young Men Also Joined in the Chase

With the Rivet murder case fresh in their minds the residents of Moody street were startled Monday night to hear the sound of a pistol shot ring out upon the still night air.

Two young men were proceeding along Moody street to their homes about 10.30 o'clock when they heard the pistol shot nearby. They turned around quickly in the direction of the shot when along came a young man on the run, but on a sort of dog trot rather than a rapid run. Some distance behind him galloped a police officer who yelled to the two men to follow the runner and ascertain where he went, as the copper with his huge bundle of clothing found himself being outdistanced.

The pair started after the runaway, but kept at a respectable distance, as they didn't know whether he or the officer had fired the shot. Upon arriving at a certain house in Moody street the runner ducked into the doorway and the two young men arrived at the door just before the officer. The unknown tried the door and found it locked, and while he was searching for his keys, and innocently remarking to the two men who had followed him that it was d—— cold, up came the police officer with his gun and badly winded, and pointing the gun at the man the copper cried out: "Throw up your hands!"

The man looked at the officer for a moment in surprise, and then exclaimed:

"What in —— will I do that for? I haven't done anything. What do you mean?"

"You're the man that I've been chasing. You've been running along Moody street."

"Sure I have," replied the man. "I was running to keep warm. I'm about half frozen."

The two young men, who by this time recognized the man as a law-abiding citizen, saw the situation and giving the copper the merry ha-ha, went on their way, leaving the pair to have it out. The police officer seeing the man running thought he was running to escape arrest and ran after him. When he found he couldn't catch him he fired a shot after him.

HIRAM P. MAXIM TESTING HIS GUN SILENCER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10. — These photographs were taken on the occasion of the first public demonstration of the new Maxim "gun silencer" made by its inventor, Hiram Percy Maxim, before representatives of the press and several prominent gun manufacturers. The device is a little cylindrical affair, barely six inches long and about an inch in diameter, which fits snugly on the muzzle of any gun. United States army rifles and other powerful guns were fired with the anti-noise attachment, and the resultant report was scarcely louder than a mild handclap. The inventor exploded the theory that the new silencer would be useful to assassins and murderers. The sharp click which the bullet makes in cleaving the air would give warning enough, he said.

STOLEN GOODS

Found on Thomas Gray Belonged to the State

The police yesterday afternoon learned that the clothing, tools, neckties and various other articles found in the possession of Thomas Gray when arrested by Patrolman James Boyle in Middlesex street a couple of weeks ago, are the property of the state and John Devlin, an inmate of the state hospital, in Tewksbury.

Devlin, who is a cripple and has been an inmate of the hospital for nearly a score of years, acts as bookbinder at the institution and does his work in an outbuilding.

On the 26th or 27th of last month, he found upon entering the building that the place had been ransacked and clothing, razors, neckties and other personal effects had been taken, as well as some tools, the property of the state. He reported the matter to the hospital officials, but the fact was not known to the police until yesterday when one of the employes of the hospital called at the police station and identified the various articles.

It will be remembered that Gray was released from the Lowell jail during the latter part of last month and the day after he was arrested in Middlesex street with the stolen goods in his possession. Being unable to find the owner of the articles or to learn how he got the goods the charge preferred against him was larceny, and he was held for the grand jury, but now a new complaint of breaking and entering and larceny will be preferred against him.

HAZELTON ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—James Hazelton, the colored man acquitted of wife murder at New Haven, Conn., was arrested yesterday in a house on West 78th street. He was taken to police headquarters.

Hazelton was arrested as a result of a telephone message received by the police from an unknown woman. She called up headquarters and said that she had read an account of the New Haven murder in the New York papers and that a man whom she believed to be the murderer could be found at West 78th street. The police went there and placed Hazelton under arrest. He made no resistance and when he reached police headquarters coolly told the story of the crime.

"Yes, I killed her," Hazelton said, "because we could not get along together. We had a quarrel and she began to rake up past history. I hit her on the head with a hammer and she fell insensible. Then I stabbed her. When I was sure she was dead I put her body in a trunk."

The police say that Hazelton said he slept on the trunk for several nights thereafter and covered the trunk with a quilt and left the house. He remained in New Haven two or three days and then came to New York.

THREE MEN KILLED

BENTON, Ill., Feb. 10.—It is reported another explosion has occurred at the Leiter mine at Zeigler, Ill., and that at least three men have been killed.

ALMOST A FIGHT

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—High words and threatened blows marked the breaking up of a hearing at the state house yesterday on a bill prohibiting women from selling or serving liquor. The bill was advocated by many labor leaders and opposed by hotelmen and representatives of women waiters. Near the close a man opposing the bill claimed that he had been insulted by an Irish waiter at which Dennis Driscoll of the Central Labor union jumped to his feet and denounced the bringing of racial discussion into the hearing and a few minutes later when it was closed he had warm words with the speaker and shook his fist in his face. Friends parted the two men.

SEVERAL INJURED

At a Fire in Chicago Yesterday

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Several women are reported to have been injured in a sudden fire which swept the fashionable Ballard apartment building at 51st street and Jefferson avenue yesterday. 150 persons, members of the fifty families occupying the building rushed into the street, some down fire escapes and some jumping from first floor windows.

LOWELL GIRL

WAS PLACED UNDER ARREST IN NASHUA

Jessie Harrison, who is still in her teens, but who has been in police court on several occasions, was arrested in Nashua yesterday, the police of the up river city having found her wandering about the streets. It is thought that she is mentally deranged. She will be brought to this city and examined by an alienist.

SENATOR HARVEY

SAYS JAPANESE ISSUE CONCERNS ONLY PACIFIC COAST

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—The Japanese question was mentioned as concerning only the Pacific coast at a Massachusetts legislative hearing yesterday before the committee on federal relations.

In advocating a resolution memorializing congress for the furtherance of international peace, Senator John L. Harvey of Waltham said that the country was in profound peace.

"How about Japan?" asked a member of the committee.

"They may accept the Japanese issue on the Pacific coast," replied the senator, "but nobody else does."

SPINE INJURED

ELECTRIC CAR COLLIDED WITH COAL WAGON

An electric car collided with one of Edward Cawley's coal wagons in Central street, near the corner of Warren street yesterday afternoon and Thomas Flood who was driving the wagon was thrown to the ground suffering an injury to his spine. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to his home, 58 Lyons street, where he was attended by Dr. Mahony.

MELROSE PARTY RESCUED

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Feb. 10.—The Melrose party of seven persons, which left Nevada recently and became lost in Death Valley region, has been rescued by searchers who found the lost prospectors huddled together in a cave-in in the Panamint mountains where they had taken shelter from the heavy showers.

"TOM" LONGBOAT

To Meet Shrubb for a Purse of $7500

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The managers of Tom Longboat, the Indian Marathon runner of Hamilton, Ont., have announced that they had decided to accept the offer of a $7500 purse for a fifteen mile race in Buffalo on Feb. 25, with Alfred Shrubb, the Englishman who was defeated for the Marathon distance by the Indian in Madison Square garden last Friday night.

YOUNG HUGHES

TO SPEAK AT THE BROWN COMMENCEMENT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—Chas. E. Hughes, Jr., son of Gov. Hughes of New York, James D. Dean of Waverly, Pa., and Chauncey E. Wheeler of Plainville, Mass., were this afternoon chosen as three of the speakers for the Brown university commencement exercises.

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TEXTILE NOTES

Interesting Items From Mill Centres

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Creditors of the International Lace Manufacturing Co. of Ogdensburg have received their final dividend of $4785. This makes the total dividends about 5 per cent. The bankrupt firm's liabilities were $500,000, claims of about $250,000 being proved. The plant at Gouverneur is now operated by a Philadelphia corporation.

MILL FOR VALLEY FORGE

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 10.—A Philadelphia textile company has leased the old mill at Valley Forge and is making alterations preparatory to installing machinery. The new tenants are makers of woolen yarns and have large plants in Philadelphia and Camden. They will employ two or three hundred hands. It is expected that the plant will be ready for operation about July 1.

MAY BUY MUSKINGUM PLANT

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Dresden parties are considering the proposition to purchase the plant of the Muskingum Valley Woolen Manufacturing Co., and have intimated their intentions to C. T. Marshall, the trustee. If the deal goes through the plant will be put in operation.

NEW SILK MILL STARTED

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 10.—Work has been started by the P. S. Van Kirk Co. on a new mill for the Prescott-Waywell Co. The structure will be a modern building and is to cost $13,000. The site is on Graham avenue.

NIGHT SHIFT OF SIXTY

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 10.—Beginning Monday, the Scotia Worsted Co.'s mill will run day and night. At present the plant is running to capacity with the day force. The new schedule will give employment to 60 additional operatives.

TO REOPEN MILL

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 10.—The Magnolia Mills Co. of Concord has placed an order for 2000 spindles and other equipment and will place in operation again the old Lippard mill, which was abandoned recently, its equipment being added to that of Magnolia mill No. 1.

TO ADD 25,000 SPINDLES

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 10.—Arrangements are to be made at once by the Woodside cotton mills at Greenville, for the addition of 25,000 spindles and 700 looms. The present plant operates 45,000 spindles and 1100 looms, on the production of [illegible] cloth. Probably $500,000 will be expended on the new equipment.

IMPROVING INMAN MILL

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Feb. 10.—Improvements are being made on the cotton mill at Inman. An extension being added which when completed will double the capacity of the plant. The Inman has had considerable success under the management of James A. Chapman, the president.

MILL DOUBLES CAPITAL

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 10.—The capital stock of the Mooresville cotton mill has been raised from $200,000 to $400,000. The company has a plant of 27,000 spindles and [illegible] looms on the production of sheeting and damask.

UP AGAINST IT

"JACK" PRINCE WORKS "PHONY" DEAL IN NEW JERSEY

"Jack" Prince, the well known track builder and promoter of bicycle racing, who erected the coliseum in Lakeview avenue, this city, several years ago, and one night skipped by the light of the moon, much to the disappointment of a number of creditors, is in trouble again, and this time it is with the National Cycling association, and unless the only Jack comes to the front and adjusts matters satisfactory to the association he will get the hook, so far as bicycle racing and track building are concerned.

Prince erected a track in Paterson, N. J., which he named the Clifton Stadium and later sold it to the Stadium Amusement Co., which imagined it was purchasing a permanent franchise. The purchasers, who are new to the racing game, and who were at that time unacquainted with the methods of Prince & Eck, discovered that the latter sold them a franchise which they did not possess. It also is claimed that the franchise of the Newark track embraces the territory upon which the Clifton track is located. In view of this fact it was voted to give the Stadium Amusement Co. a conditional franchise. The condition is that only professional motor-paced and amateur races are to be held on the Clifton Stadium Sundays and holidays, so as not to interfere with the running of the sprint card at the Newark Velodrome. Mr. Bloemecke and Mr. Finkel both stated that they would co-operate with each other during the coming season for the good of all concerned.

Unless Jack Prince settles his obligations before a date to be determined by the chairman of the board of control, he will be laid on the shelf indefinitely. Prince's case came up for discussion on the complaints of several riders and others that he had not fulfilled obligations assumed during the Trenton and Paterson abbreviated six-day meets. Prince will be given a certain time to settle and unless this is done he will be restrained from further operations.

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GREAT DAMAGE

WAS DONE BY THE STORM IN MICHIGAN

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Snow and high winds, reaching blizzard proportions in many places, prevailed yesterday in Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, the Dakotas and part of Michigan.

South Dakota points report that the railroads are all blocked. In North Dakota a fierce storm is coming from the north and before morning will be sweeping the state. Railroads in the other affected states are having trouble because of heavy snow drifts.

Menominee, Mich., reports that hundreds of dollars of damage has been done there by the blizzard. Local traffic there is almost at a standstill.

MAN DROWNED

WHILE TRYING TO SAVE GIRL FRIEND

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 10.—Refusing to leave his girl friend to her fate, Albert M. Heimsath, 26 years of age, of Cleveland, O., president of the senior class of the Young Men's Christian Association training school, in this city, perished last night while endeavoring to save her from drowning. The young woman, Miss Gertrude Hurd, 18 years of age, of Springfield, also lost her life.

Heimsath and Miss Hurd went skating on Watershops pond, near the school grounds, early in the evening. There were few skaters on the pond, as the ice had been in an uncertain condition for several days, and when both broke through, no one was close by to give aid. The young woman fell into the water, and apparently sank, but Heimsath regained his footing and could have easily saved himself.

Heedless of danger, however, he returned to the assistance of Miss Hurd. The ice crumbled under him, and left him struggling in the water. Before aid reached the couple life was extinct. The bodies were recovered.

INVENTOR DIED SUDDENLY

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Thomas Oliver, inventor of the Oliver typewriter, died suddenly yesterday of heart disease while waiting with his wife at a railway station to start for Pine Bluffs, Ark., to test a cotton picking machine which he had recently invented and which he declared would revolutionize the cotton industry.

LATEST PORTRAIT

Of Edward the King of England

LONDON, Feb. 10.—King Edward of England is making the first visit to Berlin since his coronation. The visit

is regarded as being politically important, and all the German newspapers are commenting on it, and it is believed it will effect good in the relations of the two empires.

$29,000 CLAIM

Entered Against the Navy Dept.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 10.—The fact that a claim for $29,000 had been lodged against the navy department on the ground that a bidder had been misled as to the value of the old drydock of the local navy yard became known yesterday, when announcement was made that three of the officers at the yard had been appointed a commission to investigate the matter.

Samuel Butters of Boston tendered the highest bid, $26,400, which was $25,400 in excess of the next highest bid. Mr. Butters had the dock towed to Point of Pines, Mass., and there learned for the metal in it. He recently filed a protest with the navy department, alleging that he had been misled as to the value of the dock and demanding that $29,000 be returned to him.

APPEALS COURT

SAYS WOMAN MUST PAY DEATH PENALTY

ALBANY, Feb. 10.—Unless Governor Hughes interferes Mrs. Mary Farmer, who was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Sarah Brennan near Watertown on April 28, 1908, must pay the death penalty. The court of appeals has affirmed the judgment of conviction of murder in the first degree.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

STEAMBOAT WAR

Interest in It Has Been Renewed

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—Interest was once more renewed in the Block Island steamboat war when an act whose effect would be to abolish the steamboat New Shoreham was introduced into the legislature by Senator Littlefield thus making the legislature a factor in the contest. Senator Littlefield said that the act was the result of the sentiment expressed at a financial town meeting. Previous to the call for the meeting, C. E. Champlain announced that the steamboat commissioners had signed a contract with the Long Island railroad company whereby the boat shall run through the island Montauk Point during the summer to connect with New York trains. The bill was sent to a committee.

A JOINT POSTOFFICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The experiment of establishing a joint Franco-American sea postoffice steamship La Bretagne of the Compagnie Generale Trans-Atlantique line will be inaugurated next Thursday. Postmaster General Meyer has been heartily supported by Ambassador Jusserand in bringing about the arrangement. The experimental sea postoffice will be placed on all steamers of the French line plying between New York and Paris and if at the end of two months the scheme proves a success the service will be permanently established.

MANY CHANGES IN LAWS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—More sweeping changes were made in the general laws between 1896 and 1909 than in any similar period in the history of the state, according to the report of the commission to arrange and consolidate the statutes presented to the general assembly yesterday. The report was accompanied by memoranda showing the changes made by the commission in the various statutes.

THE YELLOW PERIL

The state of California does not take very kindly to the appeals from Washington against the anti-Japanese measure, yet the state is only exercising its sovereign rights for the protection of its people. It seems there is altogether too much dread of the yellow peril at Washington. The federal government should endeavor to stop the influx of Japanese into San Francisco or else have it distributed through other parts of the country.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A very pleasant birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McDowell in honor of their daughter, Miss Jessie Alice McDowell. About 30 playmates and friends gathered in honor of her eighth birthday and had a very enjoyable evening. There were piano solos by Miss Eva Lord and Miss Jennie McDowell; songs, Mrs. Thomas McDowell Miss Eva Lord, Master Burke and Miss Jessie McDowell; dancing by Miss Marion Gormley and Beatrice Mangovan. Refreshments were served by the Misses Ellen and Jennie McDowell.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude Doherty, the well known bookkeeper of Centralville, will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

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THE WORST YET

The Storm That Raged in Colorado

DENVER, Feb. 10.—The storm that raged throughout Colorado for the last 24 hours was one of the worst experienced in the state. Never before have the railroads been so blockaded by snow and slides. The passes through the Rocky Mountains are nearly all blocked, and traffic over the Denver & Rio Grande and Colorado & Midland is almost suspended. Thirteen snow slides are reported between Durango and Silverton and the Georgetown line of the Colorado & Southern is closed. Rio Grande east bound train No. 6 at the Utah line two days ago is again blocked at Shoshone, the slide there descending but two minutes before the arrival of the train.

Lake City has been without a train for two days and is running out of fuel. The Colorado & Midland tracks are blocked by a big slide at Sellar.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of the Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and considerable business was transacted during the evening. The attendance was very large owing to the fact that the annual roll call was held. The lodge voted to entertain Black Prince lodge of Lawrence on February 23, and there will be a supper and entertainment in the evening. The lodge plans to have every member possible attend. During the evening remarks were made by all the brothers present.

Garfield colony, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, held its regular meeting last night. The 27th anniversary of the colony is to be observed next Tuesday in an informal way by the members, at the close of the regular session. A whist party is to be held on Saturday evening, February 13.

Court Merrimack, F. of A., met in regular session in Grafton hall last night, Chief Ranger James J. Spillane presiding. There were seven applications for membership and one new member was admitted. The report of the auditing committee for the last quarter showed that the court is in a flourishing condition. The arbitration committee to serve during the ensuing term was appointed by the chief ranger. The lecturer of the court is preparing a series of entertainments to take place at the close of each meeting. During last night's session remarks for the welfare of the order were made by James Keefe, Frank V. King, Michael Corcoran, Joseph Dallagher and Thomas C. Mooney. The court is arranging for a large class initiation to take place in the near future.

WENT ASHORE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The report of a four masted schooner ashore on Hen and Chickens shoal abreast of Cape Penlopen at the entrance of Delaware bay was received by wireless here today. The schooner was apparently in a dangerous position flying signals of distress and calling for immediate assistance. The grounded vessels position is in the vicinity of Cape Penlopen lifesaving station.

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Full yard wide cotton, good fine quality. Marion price 7c yard .... At 5c Yard

1 lot of 36 inches Lockwood cotton in remnants. Marion price 8c yard .... At 6c Yard

40 inches cotton. Marion price 8c yard..... At 5c Yard

40 inches brown cotton, very fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 6½c Yard

40 inches wide cotton, Dwight quality. Marion price 11c. At 8c Yard

Bleached Cotton

Yard wide bleached cotton in large remnants, good soft finish. Marion price 7c yard........ At 5c Yard

Yard wide bleached cotton in half pieces, nice fine quality. Marion price 8c yard .... At 6¼c Yard

Good fine cotton, yard wide, nice and soft quality. Marion price 10c yard........ At 8c Yard

Langdon 76-inch cotton, best family cotton made. Marion price 11c yard .... At 9c Yard

Langdon G. B. cotton in half pieces. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

Pride of the West cotton, finest cotton made. Marion price 15c yard .... At 11½c Yard

42-inch pillow casing cotton. Marion price 11c yard. At 7c Yard

Dwight pillow casing cotton. Marion price 15c yard. At 11c Yard

Dwight 45-inch tubing in remnants. Marion price 17c. At 13½c Yard

Lawn, Nainsook and Long Cloth

Fine white lawn in half pieces, nice fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 7c Yard

40-inch white lawn, good fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 8c Yard

Nainsook remnants for fine underwear. Marion price 12½c .... At 9c Yard

Very fine nainsook and long cloth, nice soft finish and very fine quality. Marion price 20c yard. At 13½c Yard

Very fine India and Victoria lawn. Marion price 25c yard .... At 18c Yard

Blankets and Bed Spreads

10-4 cotton blankets, full size, white, gray and striped. Marion price 59c pair .... At 50c Pair

Gray and white cotton blankets, full 11-4 size, good heavy blankets with warm tick, fleeced. Marion price $1.00 pair .... At 75c Pair

Wool blankets, good size, heavy quality. Marion price $2.00 pair........ At $1.39 Pair

11-4 wool blankets, double and single, good and warm. Marion price $4.00 pair .... At $2.39 Pair

Full size 11-4 wool blankets, very fine quality, made of California wool. Marion price $4.00 pair. At $2.75 Pair

Crashes and Table Damask

Twill cotton toweling, woven selvage. Marion price 5c yard .... At 4c Yard

Stark toweling, nice linen finish. Marion price 6¼c yard. At 5c Yard

All linen crash, brow nand bleached. Marion price 10c yard .... At 8½c Yard

Huck towels, nice soft quality and very absorbent. Marion price 10c each .... At 7½c Each

Large huck towels, good heavy towels. Marion price 12½c .... At 9c, 3 for 25c

Turkey red table damask. Marion price 25c yard. At 17c Yard

Bleached table damask, all new patterns. Marion price 25c yard .... At 19c Yard

Mercerized table damask, very fine quality. Marion price 50c yard .... At 33c Yard

70 inches all linen damask, very fine quality in handsome design. Marion price 75c yard...... At 50c Yard

Bates' Turkey red damask. Marion price 50c yard. At 35c Yard

Flannels

Bleached domet flannels, nice soft fleeced. Marion price 8c yard .... At 5c Yard

Domet flannel, nice warm quality. Marion price 10c yard. At 6½c Yard

Bleached domet flannel, good heavy twill quality. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

White wool flannel, nice fine quality. Marion price 25c yard .... At 15c Yard

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Dress goods, odd pieces, plain, fancy stripes and plaid. Marion prices 25c and 30c yard..... At 12½c Yard

Gingham

Apron gingham, blue checks, in all sizes, good quality. Marion price 7c yard .... At 4c Yard

Otis gingham, checks and stripes, 30 inches wide. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 8c Yard

Bates' gingham in checks, stripes and plain with side bands. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

Waists and Wrappers

Ladies' wrappers made of good percale, odd lots. Marion price $1.00 each .... At 59c Each

Ladies' wrappers, made of fine percale and flannelette. Marion price $1.25 each .... At 75c Each

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St. Patrick's Choir Gave Grand Minstrel Olio

The minstrel olio and dancing party given last evening by the members of St. Patrick's church choir under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church was a most gratifying success in every particular. For several weeks a number of talented ladies and gentlemen of the parish have been rehearsing for a grand minstrel show, and last night one of the largest audiences that ever assembled in Associate hall witnessed the best event of this kind that has ever been seen in this city for years. The grand opening chorus was by the entire company which consisted of fiftey voices, with Mr. M. J. Johnson as director and pianist, accompanied by the Middlesex orchestra. The end men were very funny, and John McNabb, the local "Dockstader" acted as Tambo, with John J. Murray as bones, and Daniel S. O'Brien as interlocutor. Miss Bagley was the black faced end lady, and some of the professionals would have to go speedy to beat Miss Bagley in her song, "I want to be loved like a leading lady." Her gestures and walk made a hit and she scored a great big success. Miss McQuillan was the other end lady, and her singing of "Mandy Lane" caused roars of laughter. The comedy part by the other end men and ladies and the many timely local hits were rich sallies of wit and humor and were greatly enjoyed by the immense audience.

The musical program was composed of songs of other days, which were gems and will never grow old. The ballad, "When We're Together" by Mr. William B. Ready was sung in his usual rich tenor voice. Miss Moran sang a solo that was one of the hits of the evening. The artistic manner in which she rendered the solo brought great applause. Another solo well worthy of mention was "Heart of My Heart" by Andrew McCarthy, the baritone singer of St. Patrick's church choir. It certainly showed that he possesses a rich baritone voice and his singing was most enjoyable. Miss F. Tighe sang a solo entitled "Because" in a most exquisite manner and was heartily received. The quartet work in the songs of other days, taking in some of the old Southern melodies was very well received. The entire company is equal to any other local amateur musical organization.

The great share of praise for this successful affair should be given to Mr. Michael J. Johnson, organist of St. Patrick's church.

The program:

Opening chorus .... The Company
Arranged by M. J. Johnson
End song, "Broke" ...John J. McNabb
Ballad, "Silver Threads Among the Gold" .... Master Connelly
"... Where My Love Lies Dreaming"
[illegible]
Male Quartet
Solo .... Miss H. Moran
End song, "I Want to Be Loved Like a Leading Lady" .... Miss Bagley
Chorus, "Greeting to Spring." The Company
Ballad, "When We're Together," Mr. Wm. B. Ready
End song, "Mandy Lane." Miss McQuillan
Ballad, "Heart of My Heart." Andrew McCarthy
Old Songs—(a) "Lily Dale," (b) "Kentucky Home," (c) "Darling Nellie Gray," (d) "Dreaming of Home and Mother" .... Quartet and Chorus
Solo, "Because" .... Miss F. Tighe
End song, "The Meanest Man in Town" .... Mr. J. Murray
Finale, "Onward" .... The Company

Stage manager, Mr. T. F. Rohan; dramatic director, Mr. John Quinn. Middlesex orchestra.

After the olio which lasted for an hour and a half the seats were removed and in a short while the sweet strains of the orchestra were heard and it is unnecessary to say that it was a continual whirl of merriment until midnight.

The affair was under the general direction of the following people: General manager, Daniel S. O'Brien; assistant general manager, Thomas Mahoney, Jr.; floor-director, Thomas J. O'Donnell; assistant floor director, Andrew McCarthy; chief aid, John J. Queenan; aids, Smith J. Adams, John F. Adams, Thomas Bassett, Frank Brady, M. D., William Barry, John P. Curley, John J. Carroll, John H. Donovan, M. D., John Doyle, John J. Maher, John H. Murphy, John McCarthy, James O'Rourke, David O'Brien, Maurice Powers, Timothy Rohan, Thomas R. Smith, M. D., Andrew A. Smith, Fred Welch, George E. Ward, J. H. Flaherty, John J. McNabb, John F. Golden, Frank O'Sullivan, M. D., James E. O'Donnell, George F. Green, John B. Crowley, Charles W. Holmes, Edward J. McCarthy, James O'Flahavan, Walter Flynn, Joseph A. Green, James F. Gallagher, M. D., Joseph Gilley, John J. Keenan, James H. Kelley, Patrick Keyes, William J. Enwright, T. J. Halloran, M. D., J. E. Leary, M.D., Charles L. Morris, John J. Sullivan, James T. O'Hearn, Henry L. Rourke, William B. Ready, Thomas Murphy, Edward F. Saunders, Harry L. Timmons, John J. Walsh, D. D. S., Thomas R. Rafter, Harold B. Plunkett, M. D., Patrick J. Meehan, M. D., John F. Meehan, Cornelius F. Doyle, James J. Brown, Timothy J. McCarthy, James J. Cassidy, M. D., Stephen Kearney, Humphrey Coffey, Florence J. Murphy, Dennis Murphy.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

King Edward goes over to Germany to assure the kaiser that England has nothing but the sincerest friendship for the German emperor and his people.

A LIFE SAVING MEASURE.

President Roosevelt has outlined a marine safety measure, which, if made law, will undoubtedly be instrumental in saving many lives at sea. The measure provides for wireless apparatus and operators on certain vessels, for life-boats that can be launched in two minutes, for the proper inspection of all steamer and motor vessels carrying passengers, and of all sailing vessels of 300 tons or over. It provides also that no officer is to be placed in charge of the deck of any vessel who has not been off duty at least four hours before taking such watch. This provision is intended to prevent accidents through over-working certain members of the crew so that they become exhausted and are liable to go to sleep or are otherwise incapable of performing their duties properly. Such a measure cannot fail to be of vast utility in preventing disasters if properly applied to the vessels that carry passengers.

THE LATE JOHN B. MORAN.

The late John B. Moran had a great many friends, political and otherwise, who will sincerely regret his untimely death. Mr. Moran, although severely criticized on his attitude on some public questions, had long been admired as a friend of the masses and one who never lost an opportunity to help aspiring young men with whom he came in contact. It is related of him that he had a stack of promissory notes from young men to whom he advanced money for the purpose of assisting them in an effort to better their condition. It is somewhat of a reflection upon the young men, however, that Mr. Moran himself admitted he could never collect any of this money. The fact that he advanced it in the first place proved the sincerity of his desire to help others. It proved that he was not entirely selfish. He was an aggressive politician, erratic in many points, it is true, but he was handicapped by physical weakness. The work of his campaign for governor weighed heavily upon his health and hastened the progress of the disease which finally caused his death.

IS IT A DOG-IN-THE-MANGER POLICY?

We notice that the American Woolen company sets a very high price upon the Shaw Machine plant, on being questioned by the board of trade as to the amount for which the plant could be purchased. The price set is $150,000, whereas the assessed value is $51,250.

We do not believe that the Shaw plant would sell for its assessed value in the open market at the present time, and hence it appears the American Woolen company sets this high figure upon it, in order to prevent another industry from starting there.

This practically settles one point, to wit: that the American Woolen company will find no purchaser at that price. If the plant be worth that sum to the company, we should expect to see the plant turning out woolen machinery to be shipped to every part of the globe.

The American Woolen company must have some intention of starting business there or it would never ask any such exorbitant price for the plant. Let us hope it will start business without delay. We should hate to believe that this large price is asked in pursuance of a dog-in-the manger policy.

THE CHARITY BOARD.

We are inclined to approve the action of the committee on appropriations in its endeavor to keep down the amount appropriated for the city farm.

If during a panic year when practically all the industries of Lowell curtailed from one-fourth to one-half, either in time or the number of men employed, the demands upon the department were fully and satisfactorily met by $86,000, it would be reasonable to assume that this year the ordinary demands of the department could be taken care of under conservative management for the sum of $70,000.

It is useless to hope for any saving in this department unless through the wise administration and careful management of the charity board.

The record of the board that has been removed is one that has few parallels in the history of our city. It shows to what an extent a number of business men can save money in running a department simply by the exercise of good judgment and by a desire at all times while discharging their full duty to the poor, to protect at the same time the interests of the city.

Not only did the board of charity, recently removed from office, save about $90,000 in three years, but it greatly increased the amount of money derived from the products of the farm.

Following are the amounts expended upon the pauper department from 1897 to 1908 inclusive, the last three years showing the record of the board which Mayor Brown has driven out of office:

1897	105,623.13	1903	145,203.68
1898	108,880.42	1904	124,728.04
1899	141,308.78	1905	117,416.73
1900	112,206.74	1906	96,262.77
1901	121,205.19	1907	81,351.22
1902	127,419.36	1908	86,000.00

The figures for the last three years indicate a remarkable saving as a result of the careful application of business principles. It is a record that the new board will find it difficult to equal. Indeed we are doubtful whether any board can show a better record of economy and wise management under adverse conditions than that which is presented by the figures just quoted.

It might be supposed that the board adopted a very penurious policy towards the worthy poor, but such was not the case. The deserving poor were well taken care of and every dollar was applied to the best advantage in relieving distress. It is a remarkable testimonial to the business ability not only of the board but its deposed secretary, Mr. Martin J. Courtney.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The second of the Sunday concerts at the opera house will be given next Sunday evening commencing at 6 o'clock and running continuously until 10.30. A bigger and better program will be offered than ever before seen at this house at the prices. All seats will be ten cents.

"THE END OF THE TRAIL"

"The End of the Trail," was seen at the opera house again last night by a good sized audience. The piece deals with life in the southwest, having the old Santa Fe as its locale and presenting picturesque incidents in the development of that region. Sensations are worked into the drama and novelties in the way of scenic equipment, are promised. The last performance of this play here will be given tonight.

YIDDISH PLAYERS

Lovers of drama will have a chance to see acting which is rarely seen during the coming engagement of the Edwin A. Relkin all-star Yiddish company, headed by the most celebrated Yiddish actress Mme. Kenny Lipzin, which makes its appearance at the opera house on Thursday night, Feb. 11, in one of the greatest successes of the Yiddish stage. This play has been presented at one of the prominent theatres in New York City where it had a run of over 300 consecutive nights and scored one of the most successful hits, artistically as well, as financially, that was ever known to the Yiddish theatres. The company will be seen in the best Yiddish drama, "Mirele Effros," ("The Jewish Queen Lear") written specially for Mme. Kenny Lipzin by the most eminent Yiddish playwright Mr. Jacob Gordin. Mme. Kenny Lipzin, the leading lady of this company, is the best Yiddish tragedienne of the Jewish stage, one which is rarely seen on any stage.

"THE MAN OF THE HOUR"

Theatregoers who have been reading so much for the past year of "The Man of the Hour" will again have an opportunity of seeing Wm. A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer's production at the opera house on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 12 and 13, with the special company of players and complete scenic production as seen on its former visit.

In the New York Evening Telegram, in the review of "The Man of the Hour," the writer says: "Not since the days of 'The Senator,' has a play been presented with such brilliant promise of success as 'The Man of the Hour.'" The other New York newspapers in their reviews were equally fulsome.

FRANKIE CARPENTER COMPANY

The ever popular Frankie Carpenter company will open a week's engagement of six matinees and six evening performances at the opera house next Monday, Feb. 15, when the opening bill will be "Spangles and the Preacher." All the plays this season have been selected with the same care that has always placed this company in the front rank as refined entertainers who always have the best on the road. High class specialties add much to the performances and are presented between the acts by talented artists. The plays are presented under the personal supervision of Jere Grady which is a guarantee of their excellency, and the company this season is one of the strongest, cleanest, brightest and most popular now traveling. Ladies' tickets opening night 15 cents each if purchased in advance.

VICTOR MOORE

When Geo. M. Cohan puts his nimble brain at work upon a play no one need fear that that wonderful piece of mechanism is going to miscarry. So, when the young author fixed up his latest concoction, labelled it "The Talk of New York," and handed it over to Victor Moore, who will be seen in that particular play at the opera house, Friday, Feb. 19, coming direct from the Tremont theatre, Boston, it is not likely that one in a hundred suffered a thought that it would do otherwise than "go."

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TO MARRY A FRENCH NOBLEMAN

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—An international marriage of importance, that of Miss Elizabeth L. Cochran of Philadelphia and Count Georges de Fermon of France, will take place at the home of the bride on Feb. 16. Miss Cochran's family is wealthy, and the count is one of the best known men in Paris. He is a nephew of Marquis Chapelle and a brother of Charles Fermon, both members of the chamber of deputies.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A good clean moral show within the price of all and a big attraction for the money is what the management of the Academy offers the public at its theatre. The picture show is the latest and almost popular form of entertainment and Messrs Toomey and Demara, managers of the Academy, were among the first in New England to take it up. They have made big success of this line of entertainment in other cities and are bound to repeat their previous successes at the Academy. Through their close acquaintance with all the leading film manufacturers they are enabled to get all the latest and best in motion photography and all the pictures shown at the Academy are new to Lowell while some have made almost their initial appearance in this city. The daily program consists of four reels of pictures including from five to seven complete pictures on varied subjects, two illustrated songs and a series of beautiful and instructive views of the world around as known as "Travelettes." The entire program, pictures, songs and views, is changed three times weekly, Tuesday, Friday and Sunday. The performances run daily with no omissions of program from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 10.30. The price of admission is but 5 cents and an admission includes a good seat while a few orchestra seats are reserved at 5 cents extra, so that the highest priced seat in the theatre is but 10 cents. It is the biggest, newest and best show ever offered in Lowell for the money. There are no "bad" weeks for every program offered is good.

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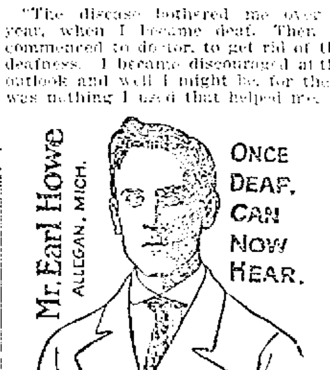

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HATHAWAY THEATRE

Taylor Granville's engrossing melodrama "The Star Bout," on view at Hathaway's theatre, this week, is the biggest kind of a whirlwind success. It enlists the services of nearly 40 persons and has a special cast of 14. It is one of the great big acts of vaudeville today, and it tells the story of a young prize fighter who gets his tryout in the ring and who whips the champion of the world, incidentally learning the girl who is true blue to him. "The Goslin," is the nom de guerre of the little fighter, while "Kid Spangles," is the scrapper who wanted the bout to be crooked. Four fast rounds are pushed through and the "mill" proves highly realistic. Harry Sullivan and Frank Dickson are the two bantam weight fighters, and Tom Ward makes an ideal restaurant keeper with an interest in pugilism. Sara Baron is the real sweet girl, and Maidie Harrison is the girl who has a fondness for fighters when they have the coin.

Lawrence Crane is the second feature act of the bill, and he more than proves his title of "wizard." Nothing more mystifying than his trunk trick has ever been seen here. His illusion of "Cremation" is also wonderfully engrossing. Besides these he has numberless minor tricks which prove that he is a subtle illusionist. He is assisted in his art by May Crawford and the cutest of pickaninnies. Other acts on this bill of distinction are: Josephine Branta, singer; Smith & Smythe, duo of singing comedians; Jessica Lewers and Ada Mitchell, in comedy and music; the Raven Trio, equilibrists; the Daleys, roller skaters, and the Hathascope.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week.

STAR THEATRE

An orchestra composed of the most efficient musicians, including a violinist, has been engaged by the management of the Star theatre, where an entertainment of unusual excellence is given for five cents, which allows seats.

New pictures headed by the talking picture "The Merchant of Venice," were shown today. Tomorrow a new talking picture "In Old Arizona," will be shown.

THEATRE LA SCALA

It is the aim of every member of a motion picture theatre to offer his patrons a program of the highest quality and at the same time to give them the greatest variety. What pleases one person does not please his neighbor but in the program which they offer today, the management of the Theatre La Scala have one that is criticism proof. Two comedies "A Put Up Job," and "Willie's Water Sprinkler" are sure fire laugh producers and their comedy is bright, clean and novel. "The Nurse's Romance" is a story picture with a new plot, one that holds the attention from start to finish and shows two phases of the feminine character that have not before been shown on the screen. The brawney countryman, handsome and uneducated, the simple country maid whose heart is given to him and the dashing city woman who fascinates and then casts him aside form a triangle which results in a thrilling and dramatic story. The songs are great, notibly "If Your Heart is Right You Can't Go Very Wrong."

POMONA CLUB

HELD PRETTY PARTY IN PRESCOTT HALL

The Pomona club held a pretty dancing party in Prescott hall last evening, exclusively for members and invited guests, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable of the season. The hall was prettily decorated by [illegible] Collins. In one corner of the hall a beautiful cosy corner was presided over by the following matrons: Mrs. Thomas F. Gibbons, Mrs. William [illegible], Mrs. John McArdle and Mrs. [illegible] W. Cowen. Kittredge's orchestra furnished music for an order of twenty [illegible] and at intermission refreshments were served by the Page company. The officers were: General [illegible], Elliott F. Wood; assistant, [illegible] A. Lang; floor director, Bernard F. McArdle; assistant floor director, Howard W. Wood; chief aid, John J. Kelley.

GLADSTONE CLUB

Gave Interesting Boxing Program

The Gladstone club held an exhibition last evening which was an interesting forerunner of the good things to come. Some 200 members turned out at the meeting and they enjoyed a program of five lively sparring bouts. Martin Flaherty, the physical director of the club was master of ceremonies, Joe Costello officiated as referee and Al. Delmont of Boston, bantam weight champion, held the watch. Delmont will appear before the club on February 22, (Washington's Birthday), against the best bantam that can be secured. The program opened with four good rounds by Sullivan and Merrill, Sullivan getting the decision on points. Johnson and Callahan then went at it for four rounds with honors even. Joe Plourde, the wrestler who has recently gone in for boxing, tried them on with Young Kelly, and received a little experience. One round satisfied Joe. Podge Murphy, the Adonis of the local ring went four with Jack O'Hara, and found him a foeman worthy of his mitt for O'Hare showed Podge several little things about the business. The referee called it a draw. The main event was between George Loucroft and Bob Smith who furnished a spirited climax for the exhibition, Loucraft getting the blue ribbon of victory.

The next meeting will be next Tuesday, while a special meeting will be held on Washington's birthday. The gymnasium will soon be fitted up with apparatus and shower baths.

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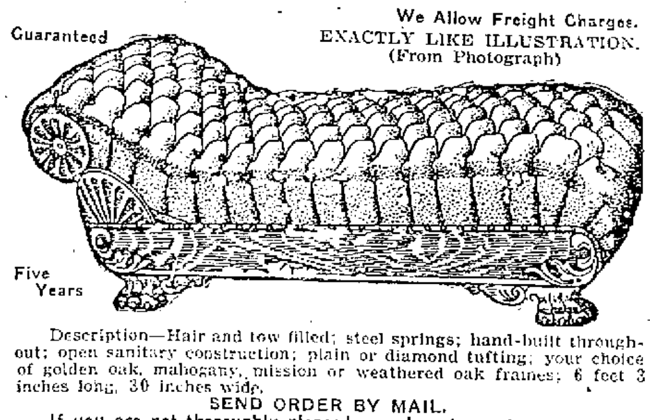

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

NUMEROUS ENTRIES FOR THE GLIDDEN TOUR

Despite the fact that the Glidden tour will not start before July, Frank B. Hower, chairman of the A. A. A. contest board, reports that he has obtained a number of voluntary entries, and he is confident of a larger entry list than has ever graced the famous Glidden tour. Everybody who is interested is trying to find out from Mr. Hower where the tour is going, but he is preserving this as one of his annual secrets.

It will be the sixth annual contest of the American Automobile Association, and there is a scramble from various sections of the country to secure it. In 1904 it went from New York to St. Louis, in 1905 it went to the White Mountains, in 1906 it went from Buffalo to Bretton Woods, in 1907 it went from Cleveland to New York and in 1908 from Buffalo to Saratoga.

The first announcement which was made some months ago was to the effect that it would this year go from Chicago to Denver, but this, according to Mr. Hower, is not authentic. At the same time he refused to divulge the distance or the route over which the great caravan, consisting of probably more than 100 cars, will pass.

Endurance Run

Starting September 15 from Denver, Colo., there will be a run, a flag to flag reliability and endurance contest to the City of Mexico, a distance of 1600 miles. This kind of a contest has never been run before in the history of the industry, and the ground lying between the two cities and the two countries is one which is well adapted by nature and geographical conditions to try out the capabilities of the car, which will enter the event. It is figured by the originators of the event, that ten days will be consumed in making the distance, and the 1600 miles between Pike's Peak and the Alamo will be divided into ten controls, which, taking into consideration the territory, will give even the best drivers in America something to think about.

The principal prize will be a magnificent trophy, which will be made up of valuable and costly metals peculiar to the two countries, and which has been offered for the competition by Motor Field of Denver. This run will be the first one in the history of the motor car industry, in which a reliability, endurance and mileage trophy has ever been offered for the perfect score tire.

Thousands of Road Signs

Powell Evans, chairman of the American Automobile Association's Touring Information Board, is completing arrangements for the manufacture of about 10,000 wooden road signs, which are to be erected during the coming touring season throughout the districts where roads have not been properly posted.

The Touring Information Board has decided, after considerable deliberation, to use wood signs instead of such as have been erected in the past few years. It is found that the small boy has discovered he can get a great deal of amusement by throwing sticks at the enamel signs, which chip off wherever struck. The new form of wooden sign, which is under consideration by the board appears to be absolutely indestructible. It will be bound with metal and tested by a process which makes it not only fireproof but water and weather-proof.

Mr. Evans says that more than 10,000 new signs will be erected by the A. A. A. as soon as they can be prepared and distributed to the centres of touring where they are most needed.

AERONAUTICS

FIRST GRAND PRIX RACE TO BE HELD FROM INDIANAPOLIS

The Aero Club of America in connection with its affiliated aero clubs in the United States will hold its first grand prize race from Indianapolis June 5. This date is chosen, as it is two days after the full moon of that month and the weather bureau advises that on that date a wind from the west may be expected. Such a wind will carry the balloons in a similar direction to the course followed in the international race from St. Louis in 1907. The winner of the contest will be esteemed the national balloon champion of the United States. Only pilots of the Aero Club of America will be allowed to compete. At present there are eighteen of these pilots, and it is probable the number will be increased before the race will be held under the direction of the Indiana Aero club, recently organized, will soon become affiliated with the Aero Club of America.

The contest is limited to balloons of 77,000 cubic feet capacity with a 5 per cent allowance or under and will be conducted according to the rules of the International Aeronautic Federation. The prize will be a gold cup not to exceed $1,000 in value, and it is expected second and third prizes will be offered by organizations in Indianapolis. The entrance fee will be $25, which will be repaid in case the contestant starts, and entries close promptly at noon on May 1 at the Aero club office. It is believed that if a contestant is fortunate enough to catch a current from the southwest the record made by John Wise will be eclipsed and the probabilities are that the contestant would reach the St. Lawrence valley. The weather bureau says this is a possibility. It was originally intended to hold the race in the fall, but in view of the Fulton flight contest to be held in New York next fall it would be impossible to hold the other event at the same time.

The Aero club of St. Louis proposes to hold a balloon race from St. Louis during the week of October 4. This is in connection with the centennial celebration of the incorporation of St. Louis as a municipality. On account of the Fulton flight contest the same week it will be out of the question for the Aero club of America to take official part in the St. Louis contest.

Albert C. Triaca has agreed to give a gold medal of the value of $100 to the Aero club of America to be awarded to the member of that club who makes the longest aeroplane flight as pilot in 1909.

An evening school of applied aeronautics to train men for positions as aerial chauffeurs and aero engineers is now under consideration at the West Side Y. M. C. A. Plans have been completed for an experimental course in aero science beginning February 15, and if the experiment develops sufficient interest in the subject and a demand for thorough instruction the association will open in the fall or possibly earlier a school which will deal with aerial navigation. The experiment will take the form of a series of free lectures on aeronautics. The first lecturer will be Winthrop L. Scarritt of the Aero club. Mr. Scarritt will speak on "The Experiences of a Tenderfoot in the Clouds," dealing with his trip over London in a balloon. The second lecture will be on March 1, when Augustus Post will speak on the "Practical Side of Aeronautics." On March 8, Wilbur R. Kimball will discuss the "Practicability of Flight."

TAKES CHALLENGE

MacFARLAND TO MEET THADDEUS ROBL

Floyd A. MacFarland, the lanky six days' race winner, now in Paris, is not the kind of a man to let a challenge go unnoticed. Recently Macfarland said that he could do better in long races than in short, and expressed an opinion that he could hold his own with any rider in Europe in a long distance motor paced race.

Thaddeus Robl, the great German pace follower, thought Macfarland was joking and he therefore issued a public challenge to the American to meet him in a 500 kilometers motor paced race on the winter track at Paris for any sum the American might name.

The long-legged Californian no sooner read Roby's defi than he grabbed his trusty fountain pen and scribbled an acceptance. Macfarland agreed upon the Velodrome d'Hiver as the venue and offered to post 5000 francs ($1000) with Les Sports, the instant Robl should do so. The American stipulated that pacing machines equipped according to the French regulations should be employed, but the German wants German pacing machines. The difference is in the matter of rollers. The French regulations require that the roller be fixed 20 centimeters behind the rear wheel, while the German authorities allow 10 centimeters. This is the only point at issue.

The record for 500 kilometers (310 1-2 miles) is 10 hours 35 minutes 4 2-5 seconds. Macfarland thinks he can cover the distance in 8 hours. Robl holds the world's 6 hours motor paced record, the distance being 358 kilometers 544. Parisian "fans" are bristling with excitement over the proposed match which, if held, will be the longest match race ever decided.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS

As a result of beating Wisconsin the Chicago basketball team looks almost certain to be the western champion again.

Oscar Osthoff, the Wisconsin athlete, is putting the shot nearly fifty feet these days. That looks good for a first in the conference games.

Louisiana State University and Tulane university have crews. A chance for some one to report that they will "enter the Poughkeepsie regatta."

There is likely to be a heated discussion over the place for the I. C. A. A. A. A. games this year. Both Cambridge and Philadelphia have many supporters.

Syracuse will get on the water with the crews on March 1. The training table will start soon thereafter. Both Jim Ten Eycks are coaching the new men.

It is suggested now that a five mile run be added to the intercollegiate games program: but the suggestion involves dropping the hammer-throw which rather coppers it.

When Yale visits the Schuylkill Easter week to prepare for the rowing race with Pennsylvania, the Quakers will let the visitors use the coaching launch Franklin, with Captain Kirk thrown in at that.

James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian school athlete, showed good style as a hurdler in the Boston A. A. games last Saturday. Thorpe hitherto has been regarded chiefly as a high jumper—when not on the football field.

Five games are on the Harvard soccer schedule for March and April: March 13, Cornell at Ithaca; March 20, Princeton at Princeton; March 27, Haverford at Cambridge; April 10, Yale at New Haven and April 14, Columbia at Cambridge.

Coach E. H. Ten Eyck of the University of Wisconsin crews says he does not favor reducing the varsity boat race distance to three miles. He points out that four miles on the tidewater of the Hudson is no worse than three miles on a lake.

Syracuse now has a rule which debars an athlete from taking part in other than a college competition in the academic year. That puts an end to athletic clubs and other such competitions by track athletes, basketball and baseball players.

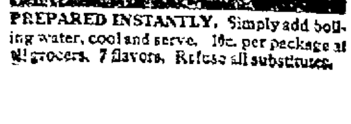
The members of the University of Minnesota basketball team drew the color line in a game against the University of Nebraska, refusing to play against the Cornhuskers as long as Wood, a negro forward, was in the lineup. Nebraska complied under protest and lose the game, 26 to 24.

On Friday, February 5, the Daily Maroon, University of Chicago, predicted Chicago would win a dual indoor meet from Illinois 44 to 42. Saturday, February 6, the Daily Maroon reported the result of the games, 44 to 42. Very fine predicting.

After Yale beat Pennsylvania at basketball a Philadelphian has this to say: "Pennsylvania should have never agreed to Thorp, a Columbia man and Pennsylvania's greatest rival, to referee the game. Thorp may have been square in his rulings, but he has the Columbia style of play in his mind and lets the players hold and rough too much." Not any rougher than this.

Candidates for the Columbia lacrosse team were called out yesterday afternoon for practice in the baseball cage in the gymnasium. The schedule is not complete, but games have been arranged with Cornell, Hobart, Harvard, New York Lacrosse Club, Stevens, C. C. N. Y. and the alumni. A southern trip will be taken on which games will be played with Annapolis and the Mount Washington club. A series of interclass games will be played on South Field with a silver cup as a trophy for the winning class.

After failing to get enough first year men to form a freshmen basketball team when the season opened the announcement is made that a team at last has been organized and will complete the schedule of games which had been arranged. Contests will be played with Yale freshmen, Horace Mann School, Peekskill Military Academy, Mackenzie School, Collegiate, De Witt Clinton, Stuyvesant, the New York University freshmen and the Pennsylvania freshmen.



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BASEBALL NOTES

Jimmy Austin, the new infielder of the New York Americans, led the whole country in base stealing last season with 97 steals.

Al Selbach, who played with the New Yorks, Bostons and Washingtons, is to become a magnate. He has obtained an option on the Newark, O., club.

Frank Chance announces that all the differences between him and Charley Murphy have been settled and that he will not only lead the Cubs this year, but for three years in addition.

Noted veterans who have gone back to the minor leagues this year are Seybold, Schreck, McGinnity, Taylor, Collins, Barry, Coughlin, McGann, Pickering, Needham and Courtney.

The Pittsburg club has contracted for 1500 tons of steel for its new grand stand. That's more than is in the polo grounds grand stand, but the Giants reserve most of their steal for the diamond.

The least worried man over the reports that Honus Wagner is going to retire seems to be Barney Dreyfuss. Barney probably feels as does a close friend of Wagner, who says the talk about the Dutchman quitting the game is a joke.

Should the bill introduced in Trenton by Assemblyman Olwell permitting Sunday baseball and other sports become a law it is said that the Philadelphias and Athletics will have grounds in Jersey convenient to Philadelphia and play Sunday games there.

The latest oracular utterance of Clark Griffith is as follows: "The men who make the star ball players are the men who love the game so much that they are looking eagerly forward to the time when spring rolls around and they can get out on the diamond again." Later they look eagerly forward to the time when fall rolls around and they can get off the diamond again.

The latest National league bulletin contains the following: The following contracts and releases have been approved and are hereby promulgated: Contracts—With Boston, J. Chandler Ball, Jake J. Boultes, Frank Bowerman, Wm. F. Dahlen, Claude C. Ritchey, Mike Simon, W. W. Thomas, Thos. Tuckey. With Cincinnati—A. W. Fuchner, Harry L. Gasper, Clark C. Griffith, John B. McLean. Releases—By Cincinnati to St. Louis (N. L.), George Ellis. By New York to Milwaukee (A. A.), John C. Barry; to St. Paul (A. A.), Thomas J. Needham; to Charlestown (S. A.), George Paige; to Indianapolis (A. A.), David Scureiber; to Buffalo (E. L.), Luther H. Taylor; and Philadelphia to Jersey City (E. L.), E. E. Courtney.

"John Clarkson never had a superior as a pitcher and never will," said Fred Pfeffer, who was Chicago's star second baseman under Capt. Anson, the other day. "The Rube Waddells, the Mordecai Browns, the Ed. Walshes and the Christy Mathewsons may come and go and they may tie old John, but none of them will ever stand as his superior. I stood behind him day in and day out and watched his magnificent control, as confident of success, especially in tight places, as I would have been with the United States army behind me. That was Clarkson's long suit. He was master of control. I believe he could put a ball where he wanted it nine times out of ten. He had everything any pitcher ever had as well. His speed was something terrific and he could throw any curve. However, his favorite ball was a drop something like the spitball of today, although he delivered it without the ointment necessary nowadays.

"You must remember that in his day Clarkson had to face that wonderful bunch of hitters of the old Detroit team, when Brouthers, Thompson, Rowe, Ed. Hanlon, Hardy Richardson, Jim White, Dunlap and George Wood were the greatest sluggers on the diamond. Clarkson was their hoodoo. They seldom won a game from him. If I remember rightly John did not lose more than two or three games in all that he pitched against Detroit. I will venture to say that if Clarkson and Kelly, who were the famous battery in 1889, were alive today $50,000 would not buy their releases."

Clarkson, by the way, furnished an amusing incident at Harvard University more than twenty years ago. At that time he was a member of the Chicago team and professional coaches were not allowed at Harvard. Clarkson lived in Cambridge and as he needed early spring practice he used to visit Holmes Field at the invitation of the varsity nine, to pitch against the candidates. The great boxman had shaved off his mustache that year and one day he appeared on the field in a Harvard uniform. As he proceeded to hand up a wonderful assortment of curves a member of the Harvard faculty, who is still at Cambridge, looked him over with evident admiration, after which he went away enthusing over "the new freshman pitcher," as he called him, and he never learned his error.

BOXING GOSSIP

After nearly four months of dodging, Abe Attell, the American featherweight champion, finally has named terms for a match with Jem Driscoll, the wonderful English featherweight, which probably will be accepted immediately. Attell sent a dispatch to New York from New Orleans yesterday to a man who is looking out for his interests to the effect that he would fight Driscoll on February 18 in a ten round bout at 124 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock. Manager Gibson of the Fairmont A. C., who has been red hot after the match for a week, then jumped into the negotiations with a proposition which the men probably will accept.

Charles Harvey, manager of Driscoll, when he learned of Attell's conditions was in no hurry to clinch the match without first consulting Driscoll. Ever since Driscoll arrived in this country he has expressed a strong desire to tackle Attell at 125 pounds, ringside, which is the featherweight limit in England. Attell, however, up to ten days ago insisted that he would not take the clever Briton on unless the latter agreed to scale at 122 pounds, ringside, which is generally accepted as the featherweight limit in this country. But owing to adverse criticism in various parts of the country Attell finally offered to make a match at 124 pounds at 6 o'clock, yet did not express a willingness to fight until some time in March, when for a month past Driscoll constantly declared that he would sail for home on February 20. As the critics continued to accuse Attell of sidestepping Driscoll the former finally concluded to give way by offering the terms quoted above. Driscoll, after being consulted by Harvey, probably will sign articles, so that this interesting match will be seen in New York Feb. 18 as scheduled two days before the Briton sails away.

Attell is one of the cleverest boxers in the ring, many say the cleverest, but Driscoll is a marvel too in this respect. Attell is his own manager, however, and he has a reputation for being the shrewdest kind of a match maker. When Driscoll met Marto here in a ten round bout recently Attell's spies were at the ringside and they must have sent back words of encouragement to the American champion, because he lost no time in making concessions. Attell, it is said, always has looked easy to Driscoll since the former boxed two draws with Owen Moran, one of twenty-five rounds and another of twenty-three rounds.

Driscoll thinks he can beat Moran when they met for the featherweight championship of England in a couple of months, and as Moran easily stood off Attell Driscoll naturally believes he can defeat the American. Experts who know boxers when they see them have repeatedly declared that in a ten round bout Driscoll would lose Attell, but that in a twenty-five round mill Attell might prove the master. At any rate a Driscoll-Attell meeting is sure to create more excitement among fight fans than any glove contest that has been decided in the east since the repeal of the Horton law.

Driscoll will have one of the hardest fights of his career, by the way, when he meets Leach Cross in a ten round mill at 135 pounds weigh in at 5 o'clock in the Fairmont A. C. ring tonight. But the wise men were betting 7 to 5 yesterday that Driscoll would defeat Cross and 3 to 1 that Cross would not score a knockout.

Cross said yesterday that he intended to force the issue from the first tap of the gong and that he believed he was fast enough to land a sleep wallop on Driscoll's jaw. Cross argues that he is a faster boxer than Marto and that he will therefore get to Driscoll more easily, in which event the Englishman is bound to be hit hard.

"If he runs into one of Cross' right hand swings," said a Cross camp follower yesterday, "Driscoll will be put away for keeps!" But Driscoll is so much like greased lightning on his feet that the ring sharps do not believe Cross will be able to hit him on a vital spot, while they also predict that the Briton will jab Cross to ribbons. If Driscoll can give ten pounds and a beating to Cross he will be hailed as a wonder. If Cross beats the Englishman it will not injure the latter's reputation as a featherweight nor will it lessen the interest in his coming battle with Attell.

Jabez White, the champion lightweight of England, who has just arrived here in search of a match with Battling Nelson, may be matched with Bert Keyes of New York for a ten round go at the Fairmont A. C.

OWEN MORAN

DEFEATED MATTY BALDWIN IN 12 ROUNDS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Owen Moran, the English lightweight, defeated Matty Baldwin of Charlestown in 12 rounds of a one-sided boxing match at the Armory Athletic association last night. Baldwin had no chance to win at any time. Moran had Baldwin bleeding in the second round and closed his right eye in the 8th. Moran let up in the last two rounds and allowed the bout to go the limit before the decision was given.

In the semi-final Ralph Tickle of Providence, R. I., punished young Nixon of Boston so badly in three rounds that the match was stopped and Tickle given the decision.

In the preliminary Kid Manning of Pawtucket, R. I., defeated Eddie Johnson of New York in eight rounds. Johnson showed up well in the first half of the match but Manning improved and made the last round a fast one, securing the decision.

WORLD'S RECORD

WAS BROKEN BY CLARENCE HAMILTON, SKATER

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—Clarence Hamilton of Boston, Mass., last night broke the new world's record for one mile on roller skates, made Monday night by J. N. Mason of Newark, N. J. Hamilton reduced Mason's record of 2.49 3-5 to 2.48 3-5.

YALE DEFEATED HARVARD

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Graduates of Yale and Harvard, playing in the second match of the season for the interclub chess cup, met on six boards at the Yale club yesterday with the result that the Yale sextet defeated the representatives of the Harvard club by the score of 3 1-2 to 2 1-2.

YOUNG CORBETT

HAD THE BETTER OF THE FIGHT

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—Young Corbett of New York, former lightweight champion of the world, fought six rounds with Mull Bowser of Pittsburg last night at the Waldemeier auditorium. No decision was given, but Young Corbett had decidedly the better of the fight.

PRIZE IS $2,000

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 10.—Allie Moore, champion speed roller skater of the world, sails on the Campania from New York Wednesday for London to compete for a $2000 first prize and the mile championship of the world. Earl Reynolds, secretary of the Professional Skaters' association, who is in this city, made the announcement last night.

POLO CLUBS MEET

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—More than 40 delegates representing the polo clubs throughout the country, attended the annual meeting of the Polo Association held here last night. H. L. Herbert was re-elected chairman.

The chief matter of business was the arrangement of the various club tournaments and the national championships. The latter event was awarded to the Point Judith Country Club of Narragansett, from August 1 to 14, both the senior and junior championships to be played in the one tournament.

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CITY PREPARED

To Extend a Welcome to Taft

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10—Although the time scheduled for the arrival in this city for President-elect Taft is still many hours off, New Orleans was today already prepared to greet the distinguished visitor who is expected to land Thursday afternoon on his return to the United States from Panama.

Last night a wireless message brought the news of the arrival at the mouth of the river of the scout cruiser Birmingham, which will lie in the offing until the North Carolina and Montana are sighted and will then prepare for the transfer of Mr. Taft who will leave the North Carolina off South Pass and come up the river on the Birmingham.

A heavy thunder storm late yesterday played havoc with many of the decorations and caused some anxiety on the part of those who imagined the storm was also raging in the gulf. The decorations were replaced early today, however, and mariners gave assurances that the North Carolina could not possibly have made such fast speed as to have gotten within the storm area.

CHELMSFORD

Eva Ayotte, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Ayotte of this village, had a narrow escape while coasting in a field off Warren avenue, Sunday afternoon. The sled took the little one out on the ice of a pond hole in which the water is over seven feet deep, and as she got off the sled the ice broke under her, precipitating her into the icy water. Her mother and a neighbor, Mrs. Bennett, rushed to her assistance, but were unable to reach her. The little one was clinging to the ice nearly exhausted when John Norris of Lowell, who was attracted by the screams, hastened to the scene and, stripping a board from a fence and by wading out to his armpits, succeeded in rescuing the child, who after a hot bath and restoratives was soon all right again.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Augusta A. Stevens, late of Nashua, in the County of Hillsborough, and State of New Hampshire, deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Tax Commissioner for said Commonwealth.

Whereas Abby D. Greene, appointed administratrix of the estate of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Hillsborough, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court her petition representing that as such administratrix she is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposit and interest in Lowell Institution for Savings, Lowell, and praying that she may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as she shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by delivering a copy of said citation to the Tax Commissioner for said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in the estate of Flora E. Forrest, late of Belmont, in the County of Belknap, and State of New Hampshire deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Treasurer and Receiver General of said Commonwealth.

Whereas, George S. Forrest, appointed executor of the will of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Belknap, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court his petition representing that as such executor he is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposits in Traders' National Bank, Lowell, and Lowell Institution for Savings, and praying that he may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as he shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED regarding Robert, James and Alice Howe, who 30 years ago resided on Water st., now Concord st., in this city, Belvidere, by their father, James Howe, who would like to locate them, or persons who could enlighten him as to their whereabouts. The parent of the above mentioned persons can be seen at the Washington Tavern, where any information personally or otherwise, should be given.

LOST AND FOUND

CLOTH BAG containing $[illegible] lost between Appleton bank and Middlesex st. depot. Reward at The Sun office.

LADY'S GOLD WATCH lost, initials E. B. G., with fob attached. Finder please return to Mrs. B., 133 East Merrimack st. Reward.

POCKETBOOK and a sum of money lost between Cross and Butterfield sts., through the north common. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at Sun Office.

A POCKETBOOK containing sum of money lost on Feb. 6, between Green's Five and Ten Cent Store and Nelson's. Return to 71 Fulton street. Reward.

LADY'S SMALL OPEN FACED GOLD WATCH with a leather fob and initials A. E. F. inside, lost Feb. [illegible] Finder please return to 247 School st. Reward.

BROWN and WHITE SPANIEL lost in Belvidere. Answers to name of "Rex." Reward at 31 Lane st. Phone 1716-3.

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a6.27	7.41	7.53	8.55
a6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.39
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.37
7.22	8.05	10.31	11.34
a7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.55	12.00	12.55
8.59	9.40	1.00	1.37
b9.27	10.35	2.00	3.02
9.38	10.19	3.00	3.37
10.45	11.40	b3.31	5.02
11.38	12.20	a4.14	5.30
12.12	1.00	5.00	5.37
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10.50	11.55	11.50	12.55
12.00	1.05	2.15	3.21
3.10	4.34	3.30	4.30
4.23	5.25	4.59	5.56
5.05	6.12	6.02	7.05
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6.48	7.30	9.00	10.09
7.32	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.46	9.48	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.37
10.30	11.33	5.00	6.02
2.25	3.37	7.30	8.58
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.09
6.28	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.53	8.35	10.28	11.35

SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.24	8.00	9.08
12.10	1.15	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.00	2.15	3.23
5.45	7.00	3.30	4.43
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.35
		8.40	9.42

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

It was pretty tough walking today.

Order your coat now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

The sidewalks are in quite bad shape today.

The storm did not interfere with the schedule on the B. & N. road.

The street railway men hold forth in Associate hall tonight.

The no-school signal sounded this morning, and there was no session of the schools.

The B. & N. Street Railway Men's annual concert and ball will be held in Associate hall, Thursday night. At the conclusion of the affair special cars will leave for all suburban towns.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned take this means of conveying to their friends and neighbors their heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended them in the hour of their sorrow, in the death of their beloved husband and father, the late Martin Reidy; and to those who surrounded the bier with beautiful floral tributes. They will ever hold them all in grateful remembrance.

Mrs. Grace Reidy and family.

THE MATHEWS

APPOINTED A NEW HALL COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT

The Mathew Temperance Institute met in regular session last night. There was a large attendance. Three propositions for membership were received and two new members were admitted. A new hall committee to serve one year was appointed by the president. Those named on the committee are: James J. Gallagher, president; George R. O'Neil, Peter F. Brady, John H. Sullivan and James F. Rourke.

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At Women's Branch of People's Club, Runels Building,

Wednesday, Feb. 10, 7.45 p. m.

Direction Mr. Wilfred Kershaw. Artists—Mr. Harry Needham, bass; Mr. Harry A. Hopkins, tenor; Miss Ella M. Chase, pianist; and a reader. All invited.

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CHARGES MADE

Against Officer Killoy by Members of Boys' Club

Hearing Before the Police Board —The Officer Charged With Assault— Minor Licenses Granted

Patrolman William H. Killoy, who patrols Concord street and vicinity on the early night shift, was given a hearing before the board of police last night on charges of alleged assault on Daniel Rourke, aged 19 years, using profane language and conduct unbecoming an officer.

Prior to the hearing a public session was held in the office of the board and it was while this session was in progress that Mayor George H. Brown put in an appearance, but it was a case of "he walked right in, turned right round, and walked right out again" for "nary a word he said to the board and the same they said to him."

It was 8.10 when the mayor arrived and wholly ignoring the board, approached Clerk Flaherty and asked to have a look at the specifications in the Killoy case. The papers were handed to him and after glancing them through he took a look around the room and then quietly walked out.

The room and the corridor were filled with people at the time the mayor put in an appearance and it was expected that there would be some fireworks, but those who were eager to witness a pyrotechnic display were disappointed.

While discussing an alleged violation at a coffee house in Suffolk street counsel for the coffee house made several insinuating remarks which were quickly taken up by Commissioner Boulger, the latter stating that he for one would not stand for any sarcastic remarks for which there was no foundation.

The hearing in the Killoy case was opened in the police court room at nine o'clock.

The text of the charges was as follows: That on January 27, 1909 Patrolman Killoy used coarse and profane language, was guilty of assault and battery, and conduct unbecoming an officer; that the profane language was his saying to the complainant: "You are a —— fool;" that the officer struck the complainant and knocked him down twice and threatened to take a chance and kick complainant through a window.

Daniel Rourke, the complainant, was the first witness called. He said that he was 19 years of age and resided at 262 Fayette street, knows Patrolman Killoy and is a member of the Belvidere athletic club. Witness said that on one occasion the officer called at the club house and in conversation asked if the place was being used as a den or a hiding place.

Continuing witness said: "On the night of the 27th of January some boys were using the club, and as I was leaving the place Patrolman Killoy said "Get back in there, I want to talk with you." "I went back and he said "What are you doing with all those kids in there?" I told him that I had nothing to do with them.

"I told him that I was not in a hurry but wanted to get out. With that he closed his fist and struck me over the eye. He struck me a second time, this time on the other eye, and I went down to the floor. When I was getting up he struck me again. He then struck me with his mitts. I said to him, 'What do you think I am?' and he said 'I will show you what you are. I will take a chance and kick you out of a window.' I heard him call a fellow in the place a —— fool and saw him kick Richard Corbett."

Cross-examined witness said that he did not like Patrolman Killoy and acknowledged that the officer had caught him and several other young men playing cards down near the river and had put a stop to their playing. Witness denied that he had participated in any crap games at the clubhouse. Witness said that the officer said he had no objection to the club if it was conducted in a quiet and orderly manner.

William Niland, 13 years, of 1 Concord place, said he was at the club on the night of the alleged assault. Patrolman Killoy called at the place and after holding some conversation with Rourke, said to Rourke, "If you don't sit down I will knock you down" and with that the officer hit Rourke and knocked him down. Subsequent to that the officer struck Rourke twice and said he was too fresh. Witness added that Patrolman Killoy used profane language.

On cross-examination witness said that he and some younger boys took the club from the older boys, but gave the latter the right to frequent the place as they owned the furniture.

Niland said that he had played pitch for quite a while. He said that he and the other kids played on the river bank during the day time while the big fellows played at night, but the latter would not allow the kids into the game. Witness said that his reason for leaving the club was because he had contracted a cold, boxing. He said that the place was closed at 9.30 o'clock at night because that was one of the rules in the book.

Robert Mulin, 14 years, of 76 Andover street corroborated the testimony offered by the preceding witness and said that after the officer had taken the names of the different boys there he told them to go out and not come back. Witness said that none of the gang liked the officer because he chased them away from the corners and they said they would like to have him taken off the beat. He said he had the gloves on the second night and that the experience he had that night was sufficient for him.

Edward Teague, 15 years, also a member of the club, saw the officer "soak" Rourke. He said that the club is still in existence but they intend to cut it out this week as they cannot afford to pay the rent.

Shortly before eleven o'clock the hearing was adjourned till Friday night, Feb. 19.

Minor Licenses

The following minor licenses were granted:

Hawker and peddler—Martin F. Connolly, Collinsville; William H. Noyes, 100 Fremont street; Annie Gavaghan, rear 211 Lakeview avenue; Samuel Levenson, 43 Lincoln street; Wiggin Bros., Dracut; Oliva Fournier, 13 Aiken street; Joseph Leduc, 146 Aiken avenue; Alphonse Lantagne, 36 rear 20 Dodge street; Fred H. Wolfe, 17 Cady street; William Boissoneault, 459 Moody street, rear 8; Charles Shapiro, 18 Daly street; Thomas Boissoneault, Jr., 2 Marin place, Moody street; Peter E. McNulty, East Chelmsford.

Common victuallers—Robert Buchan, 93 Adams street; Malkon V. Topolian, 99 Gorham street; Harry Swartz, 530 Middlesex street; Athanasios Metropoulos, 374 Market street; Napoleon Starnaud, 197 Aiken street; Annie Calnin, 933 Central street; Daniel P. Henry, 725 Central street; Abbie F. Rourke, 32 Fifth avenue; Amedee F. Lahaise, 475 Moody street; Nicholas Papares, 23 Thorndike street; James Georgopoulos, 420 Suffolk street; Margaret Babcock, 45 John street; William Moran, 122 South street; William L. Smith, 505 Rogers street; Margaret O'Brien, 92 Lawrence street; Mrs. P. A. Hayden, 177 Church street; Mrs. Alice Ellsworth, 6 Davis square; Hagob Babigin, 113 Paige street; Elizabeth Broomhead, 436 Lawrence street; Joseph Tatro, 716 Lakeview avenue; Catherine McPhail, 383 Lakeview avenue; Julia McKenzie, Davis & Winter streets; Delia T. Farrell, 32 Davis street; Lucy A. Mason 139 Powell street.

The billiard and pool license of Peter Anastopoulos was transferred from 18 to 27 Adams street.

A special police warrant was granted Curtis F. Coburn, 40 First street, for the Gospel Mission and vicinity, corner French and George streets.

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Jumper Suits of A. F. C. gingham, in plaids and checks, and colored chambray; some of them were $2.50 and $3.50, now reduced to 1.69

Separate Wash Skirts of chambray, gingham and percale, more than two dollars worth of wear and satisfaction for 1.00

House Dresses of Bates gingham, Jumper Suits of chambray, lawn and gingham; styles that sold for $3.98 and Lingerie Princess Dresses, some were $4.98, and every suit left that sold for more than $2.97, now reduced to 2.50

House Dresses and Jumper Suits of Bates plaid and A. F. C. striped gingham, 38 and 39 inch skirts, insuring immediate wear without alterations; most of them were $2.97; some were $3.50, now 1.97

Small sizes in Gingham Waists, checks and stripes, the cloth alone cost more than 35c

Waists of wool, lace and lawn, tailored, embroidered and lace trimmed styles, none was less than $1.97, some were $2.50, now reduced to $1.25

Some quantities are small and some are large, but Thursday's choosing will be the best.

THE WHITE STORE, 116 Merrimack Street

INSURANCE TALK

As Applied to Savings Bank Scheme

BY LOUIS D. BRANDEIS AT UNITARIAN CHURCH

Before the Men's Club. Local Business Men Skeptical on the Score of the Guaranty Fund and Free Clerical Work

Louis D. Brandeis, the eminent Boston attorney and promoter of the savings bank insurance system, addressed a large and representative gathering at the dinner of the Unitarian Men's club in the vestry of the Unitarian church last evening. There were present many large employers of labor, notably A. G. Cummock, who evinced a deep interest in the subject, and many bank men, including Mr. Edward B. Carney and Clarence Whidden, who have given the matter considerable thought.

The speaker of the evening was introduced by Chairman Brock, and he spoke in part as follows:

"A large part of the people in this country and in England speak of the English old age pension system as one of the most unfortunate moves that England has ever made. A system by which England is not only imposing upon herself this great financial burden, but is undermining the thrifty character of her people.

"It is a fact that the wage earner, as he lives, consumes practically all that he can earn. It is a world problem. The question therefore is before us, what will America do—primarily, what will Massachusetts do? First, it is necessary to diagnose the case. What is the main cause, or at least a great cause, of the misery that we find in all the communities? Take the cases that you know yourselves, among the working classes. The trouble has been sickness of the breadearner, or an accident, or premature death, or a series of accidents coming on; a period of superannuation and helplessness, long after the little savings had been exhausted."

The speaker's talk was along the general lines already published in The Sun, touching on the workings of this system.

At the close of his remarks Mr. Brandeis invited questions and Chairman Brock called upon Mr. E. B. Carney of the Lowell Institution for Savings. The latter stated that he would rather hear the good points than to suggest its possible disadvantages. He asked Mr. Brandeis to give some information about the guaranty fund system.

The law provides, explained Mr. Brandeis, that a bank may take hold of this insurance either as an agent or as a principal. If merely an agent, it provides no guaranty fund. The bank that issues the policies can start it only with a guaranty fund of not less than $25,000. This fund is provided wholly from without the bank. For instance: In Brockton the guaranty fund was provided by ex-Governor Douglas; and in Waltham, it was provided by a number of men. The money put into the guaranty fund is credited semi-annually with the same rate of interest as the deposits.

Mr. A. G. Cummock applying the case of an agent to himself spoke of the extra clerical work involved in the office of the larger employer of labor who would become an agent. "I would have to open 1000 accounts," said Mr. Cummock.

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Best No. 1 Smoked Shoulders.....7½c
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Fresh Pork Shoulders and Pork Roast, at lowest possible prices.

Choice Roast Beef, cut from the best corn-fed Chicago Dressed Beef, at 10c and up, according to quality.

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KING EDWARD

First Foreign Monarch to be the Guest of Berlin

BERLIN, Feb. 10.—King Edward, who arrived here yesterday from London and was given a hearty reception by the emperor and people of Berlin, is today enjoying the distinction of being the first foreign monarch who ever has been the guest of the Berlin municipality.

Shortly before noon, his majesty, dressed in the uniform of a Prussian general proceeded in an automobile to the town hall where Mayor Kirschner and the other members of the city government greeted him and escorted him to the public reception hall which was splendidly decorated. Here several hundred persons awaited the king. Among those present were Chancellor Von Buelow.

Foreign Secretary Von Schoen and the other members of the cabinet and all the councilmen and aldermen, with the exception of the city socialists, were also present. The chamber of commerce and the oldest of the merchant guilds were numerously represented.

According to the wish of King Edward no speeches were made. Herr Kirschner asked the king to accept a drink of honor from the city in a golden cup. The mayor's daughter handed him the beaker filled with a rare old wine which the king emptied. His majesty then thanked the mayor for the splendid reception accorded him and added:

"My greatest wish is that the relations of our two countries may always remain of the best."

The king was then escorted by the burgomaster through the principal sections of the town hall. His majesty then proceeded to the British embassy where the ambassador, Sir William Goschen, gave a luncheon in his honor. Previous to this repast his majesty received a deputation from the British colony in Berlin to present him withan address. In reply the king made an important speech which he read from a manuscript. He said among other things:

"The hearty and enthusiastic welcome which the queen and I have met with in Berlin will surely find a grateful echo amongst my people on the other shore of the North Sea, and it will conduce to a consolidation of the friendly feelings between them and the German people for whose culture and progress in the realms of art and music we all have a sincere and warm admiration. You who reside in this fine capital can do much to convince the Germans of the sincerity of your friendship towards them."

Queen Alexandra also was present at the luncheon and the guests included Chancellor Von Buelow and his wife. Foreign Secretary Von Schoen and all the foreign ambassadors in Berlin including David Jane Hill, the American ambassador, and Mrs. Hill.

GOVERNMENT OF CANAL ZONE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—By a vote of 203 to 101 the house today passed the bill which was considered at length yesterday providing for the government of the Panama canal zone and the construction of the canal.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

Will Submit Its Answer to the Legislature Next Week

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Both the state officials and the officials of the New Haven system refused today to discuss the report that the railroad would acknowledge it had erred in purchasing stock of the Boston & Maine railroad, and that the stock of that road would be ordered turned over to some Massachusetts citizen. It was reported, unofficially, that at a conference between Gov. Draper and President Mellen, the latter had agreed to admit that the New Haven road was in the wrong, and that he would ask the company's directors to order that the Boston & Maine stock, 110,000 shares in all, be transferred to some resident of Massachusetts. This stock is now held in the name of John L. Billard of Meriden, Conn. It was admitted at the state house today that Gov. Draper was anxious to settle the long-drawn out merger controversy which has been before the legislature for nearly three years, and which also has the attention of both state and federal courts.

It was expected that the New Haven company would file with the clerk of the Massachusetts house of representatives today its answer to the questions regarding the disposition of its Boston & Maine holdings as well as questions bearing on the state of western Massachusetts trolley lines.

Announcement was made at noon, however, that the answer will be given next week.

The apathy shown yesterday at the opening hearing on six bills affecting the New Haven road was regarded at the state house today as indicating that members of the legislature prefer to have the courts settle it.

INTEREST
BEGINS
Saturday, Feb. 13
Washington Savings Institution
257 CENTRAL STREET

Calumet, new music at Associate, Fri.

AT ST. PETER'S

HOLY NAME SOCIETY TO INSTALL OFFICERS

The Holy Name society of St. Peter's church will hold an important meeting in the fair hall tomorrow evening, at which time the installation of the newly elected officers will take place. The installing officer will be Pres. John J. Coyne, who retires from the head of the organization at the meeting to be succeeded by William F. Daly as president. The exercises attending the installation will be carried out on a fine scale and a big attendance is anticipated.

At this meeting a report from the committee in charge of the entertainment on St. Patrick's night will be presented.

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OFF TO MARDI GRAS

Lowell Party Sailed For New Orleans Today

Will be Guests at Celebrated Hotel Grunewald Where President-Elect Taft is to be Royally Entertained

Mr. Louis Grunewald, Jr., Dr. A. E. A. McCann, Fred Snow and James Horsfall of this city sailed from New York this morning on the steamer Comus of the Southern Pacific line for New Orleans, Mr. Grunewald's native city, where they will attend the festivities of Mardi Gras week, returning on the 24th on the steamship "Antilles" of the same line. While in New Orleans they will be guests at the celebrated Hotel Grunewald, the largest hotel in the south, which is owned by Mr. Grunewald's father and conducted by his brother, Mr. Theodore Grunewald, one of the leading hotel men south of the Mason and Dixon line. The trip to New Orleans is all by sea and will take five days, so that the Lowell party will arrive in due time for the festivities which begin on Thursday, Feb. 18, with the following program:

February 18—Knights of Momus, street parade at 8 p. m. Tableaux and ball; 22—Arrival of Rex 2 p. m. Naval and military parade; 22—Krewe of Proteus, street parade at 8 p. m. Tableaux and ball; 23—Rex parade at 10 a. m. Ball at 8 p. m.; 23—Mystic Krewe of Comus, street parade at 8 p. m. Tableaux and ball.

The hotel Grunewald will shelter President-elect Taft during his stay in New Orleans, and that he will be royally entertained may be seen by the following dispatch in the New York Sun and which anyone suffering with dyspepsia is advised not to read:

FEAST FOR THE GODS!

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 9.—In response to the expressed wish of the New Orleans Progressive union that the Creole dinner to be given in honor of President-elect Taft during his visit here shall live in history, Theodore Grunewald, who is at the head of the "court of famous cooks," who will prepare the banquet, has issued an order unique in the culinary career of New Orleans. The cooks insist that special arrangements be made for the fish supply, which constitutes the chief food to be used. Crabs and shrimp, which will come from Lakes Pontchartrain and Borgne on the outskirts of the city, must not be taken from the water until the morning of the banquet. Pompano, sheepshead, spanish mackerel and red fish must be alive within one hour of their delivery to the chefs. The oysters must be of the toothsome Bayou Cook variety and specially fattened for the occasion.

Confronted by these insistent demands of the cooks, Mr. Grunewald employed fully a dozen fishing smacks and oyster luggers, gave them special orders as to the character of the fish they are to bring him, the time of their arrival and the manner in which the fish are to be handled.

He went further, and the day upon which the Creole banquet was decided upon ordered a sufficient quantity of Bayou Cook oysters removed from their natural beds and placed on large, easily handled screens sunk at the mouth of Bayou Cook, where the inflowing and outflowing tides are supplying them with many times the quantity of fattening foods they would get in their natural state. The effect of this is similar to the effect of "stuffing" a goose with fattening food. Two weeks of this treatment is expected to improve the oysters Mr. Taft will eat and give them the exact flavor the chefs desire.

A crab glace made of shredded crab meat highly seasoned and frozen in gelatine will be served as an appetizer immediately preceding the dinner.

A gumbo, made of crabs, shrimp, oysters, Creole okra, etc., seasoned in the highest art known to Louisiana cooks and cooked in the way that has added laurels to Louisiana; oyster patties the size of a dessert plate; bouillabaisse, the kind that Thackeray immortalized; roast teal duck stuffed with shredded Louisiana oranges, a salad of native lettuce with a sauce made nowhere else in the world; wines and the richer Creoles drink a brandy brulot burnt in great bowls in the darkened banquet room over native fruits, fruit sugar and rare spices and served with drip coffee; cigars, and a dash of old brandy drunk from bowl glasses to secure the aroma. These are the leading items of the menu.

The banquet room is being elaborately decorated in native moss, fish nets characteristic of one of Louisiana's chief industries, sugar cane, cotton, nuts, flowers, oranges, etc. Thousands of dollars are being spent on this phase of the banquet alone.

Arrangements are being made to serve 1,000 guests, and because of the number customary form will not be adhered to, and all will be seated just before Mr. Taft enters the room. Upon his arrival the 1,000 hosts will rise and welcome him standing.

The Louisiana militia, United States troops and United Confederate Veterans will be represented in the Taft parade Thursday. Secretary of War Wright wired that he has no objection to the troops stationed here participating. The military band from Fort Barrancas, Fla., will take a part.

KILLED HIMSELF

He Did Not Want to Face Expose

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Charles H. Fisher committed suicide by taking carbolic acid at his home last night. He was a member of the board of finance, which two weeks ago purchased for the city a new site for its incineration plant, for $74,000.

The same land had been offered the city recently for $45,000, and the board of aldermen last night appointed a special citizens' committee to investigate the deal.

Just before the city fathers met Fisher ended his life.

He was 46 years old and was agent for the Starin Steamboat company here.

The deal which Fisher, as a member of the board of finance, authorized, has aroused the taxpayers as none in years has done.

WAIVES RIGHTS

WOMAN WILLING TO RETURN TO VERMONT

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Waiving extradition rights, Mrs. Hattie Roy of St. Johnsbury, Vt., who was arrested here last night, charged with the larceny of $5500 from J. L. Peck, a boarder at her home, started for St Johnsbury today in custody of Deputy Sheriff F. F. Harriman of that place. Mrs. Roy declared to the police that Peck gave her the money in question. She said that he had probably forgotten that fact as he was absent-minded and frequently forgot what he had done with his money.

MAN KILLED

WILLIAM MORSE FELL FROM LOAD OF LOGS

LITTLETON, N. H., Feb. 10.—William Morse was killed under a sled heavily loaded with logs yesterday in North Lisbon. Morse was driving a team for his brother-in-law, James Moulton of Lisbon, and in some unexplainable way he fell under the sled and when discovered was horribly crushed.

Mr. Morse leaves a wife and three brothers and two sisters. The funeral will be Friday.

A TAX MEASURE

Relates to Personal Property in R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—The taxation of personal property wherever it can be found in the state, irrespective of the location of the owner's legal residence is the substance of a bill introduced into the legislature today by Rep. George Holmes of Providence. It went to a committee for a hearing, the bill being approved by the city council of Providence. Several taxation measures were introduced by State Walter Reed who in his annual report announced that the financial affairs of the state were in a somewhat embarrassing condition.

THE TAFT PARTY

PORT EADS, via New Orleans, Feb. 10.—Wireless communication received here today says that Mr. Taft and party are reported 300 miles off the Passes at the mouth of the Mississippi. He is due to arrive at South Pass at midnight.

DEATHS

CLARK—Catherine Clark, wife of Coleman Clark and a well known resident of St. Michael's parish, died today at her home, 1 Roosevelt place, off Coburn street. Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Miss Catherine Clark, and one brother, Alexander McMahon, of Worcester.

A DOUBLE EXECUTION

ALBI, France, Feb 10.—A double execution was carried out publicly in Albi today in the presence of an immense but orderly gathering of people. During the night a crowd of workmen paraded through the streets singing revolutionary songs and crying, "Down with the executioner."

STEAMER LOST

SIXTY OF THE PASSENGERS AND CREW SAVED

CASTELLON, Spain, Feb 10.—The steamer America has been wrecked off the coast of this province. Sixty passengers and crew were saved. The nationality of the vessel is still in doubt.

Mr. Linson A. DeVoe, superintendent of the Mason Safety Tread Co., is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home, 489 High street.

MAYOR'S EDICT

To Close Schools on Lincoln Day

The edict has gone forth from the mayor's office, that Friday, Lincoln Day, will be a holiday in Lowell so far as the closing of the schools and city hall are concerned.

The following is a copy of a message received by the city messenger from the mayor this forenoon:

To City Messenger Joseph E. Pattee,

You are hereby directed to inform all department heads that city hall will be closed Friday, February twelfth, Lincoln day, and that it is my desire to have a proper observance of the centenary of the martyred president on the part of the city by the closing of the schools and all municipal departments where there will be no inconvenience or injury to the city's business.

I direct you to have the flags unfurled above all the municipal buildings and schools, from sunrise until noon at half staff, and from noon until sunset at full staff

It is my desire that Monument Square be decorated in honor of the day, and I instruct you to inform the members of the park commission of my desires in this matter and the advisability of placing flags and bunting upon the monument above the graves of Ladd and Whitney, the two Lowell men who shed the first blood in the great conflict.

Signed,
George H. Brown, Mayor.

AN EARTHQUAKE

ANOTHER SHOCK IN VICINITY OF COLIMA

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 10.—A special despatch says that another earthquake occurred in the vicinity of Colima yesterday. A violent eruption of the volcano followed the quake. A ridge of lava about a mile long is streaming down one side of the volcano. No fatalities have resulted so far as known. The region affected is barren.

NOT CONFIRMED

REPORT THAT THE GEORGIA WAS IN COLLISION

GIBRALTAR, Feb. 10.—Reports that the Georgia was in collision with another battleship of the American Atlantic fleet while en route to America, which have been circulated here, are not confirmed. The reports were originally published by Spanish newspapers.

APPROVE PRESIDENT'S POSITION

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 10.—The church federation of Los Angeles yesterday passed a resolution expressing hearty approval of the action taken by President Roosevelt in regard to proposed Japanese legislation and protesting against any action by the state legislature not in harmony with the general policy of the national government.

RUBE SMITH KNOCKED OUT

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 10.—With a right cross to the point of the chin, Frank Mantell, a Providence middleweight, knocked out Rube Smith of Denver before the Buffalo A. C. at the old pavilion last night in the twelfth round of a fast fight.

GOT SIX MONTHS

MAN GUILTY OF TRYING TO DEFRAUD RAILWAY

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Feb. 10.—Not since the days of the famous John Reed, the bunco man, has there been such a case in court where a defendant had so many aliases as F. Gordon Wilson, who is wanted for defrauding public service corporations all over the state and in Pennsylvania and New Jersey and who has been doing this business for at least eight years in different parts of the country and nobody has been able yet to discover his real name.

As he had no defence in the case yesterday he was prevailed upon to plead guilty and was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

TUNGSTEN LAMPS AT LESS THAN COST

To be used on our lines only. We sell Tungsten lamps of 80, 50, 40 and 20 candle power. The last mentioned size can be supplied in a limited number to each of our customers. These lamps give a better quality of light than the old carbon lamps, but use one half as much current.

Ask for information.

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EXTRA

"ANANIAS CLUB"

Rep. Rainey Thinks That He Will be Admitted

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Representative Rainey of Illinois whose speech in the house on the famous Panama canal purchase has drawn forth a rebuke from the state department in an official reply to the Panama government's protest was declined today to assume that he had been elected to the "Ananias club." This was based on the statement in Secretary Bacon's letter as to the president's view of Mr. Rainey's speech.

Mr. Rainey made a statement in which he said that he would not expect President Obaldia of Panama or President Roosevelt to agree with him. He added that it is only necessary to arrive at some fact uncomplimentary to the present administration to be elected to the "Ananias club" provided the candidate has the courage to make the facts public.

SUCH A SLUSHNESS

Lowell's Streets a Chain of Big Puddles Today

Street Department Evidently is Knocked Out by a Comparatively Small Storm—Ex-Supt. Morse Generally and Genuinely Missed Today

O, Slush!

Ain't it awful, Mabel?

Down went Morse at the beginning of the year and down went the entire public into slush and bilge water on the first wet day after his removal.

If there is no work for Frank Lazelle in the sewer department why not make him head of the street cleaning department. There'll be work enough there to keep him going.

Ex-Supt. Morse has been out of office less than a month and the whole town has the result impressed upon it.

It is doubtful if ever before in the history of the city have the street crossings and gutters of Lowell been in such deplorable condition as they were this morning and everyone in Lowell except the head of the street department saw what was coming early last evening when after all weather indications had predicted snow followed by rain, a light, wet snow began to fall, and everyone except the street department prepared to meet a wet, slushy day. Even Superintendent Whitcomb, who never rings a no-school signal unless it is absolutely necessary, didn't have the heart to make the scholar come out and the no-school bell rang at the usual hour.

But at 7 o'clock this morning there was nothing doing about the street crossings and the people going to work in the stores and mills and workshops arrived at their destinations with wet feet and soaking skirts, for even the short skirt now in vogue, didn't escape the depth of the slush of today.

The poor mill people always get the worst of it in this weather and today they had it rubbed in most discouragingly. Ex-Supt. Morse and his predecessor, Ex-Supt. Heath, attended to one matter always without failure, and that was to get men out sometimes as early as four o'clock in the morning, clearing sidewalks, gutters and street crossings after a storm, so that some of the mill people at least escaped the worst of it. But today the mill people had to break into the slush and the store help had to wade through it later.

At 7 o'clock this morning Merrimack square was in an awful condition, the catch basins being blocked and huge pools of water having gathered at each of the corners. Officer Peter McMahon upon sizing up the situation went to the street railroad office and rounded up several railroad men who were waiting for orders and asked them to clear passageways from the cars to the sidewalks. This they did, though they gave most of their attention to the street railway side of Merrimack street. When the colored man who sweeps the crossings for the city came along he started in at Bridge street where the railroad men had already done a fairly good job. Officer McMahon promptly invited him over to the other side of the street where in front of The Sun building a pool existed that would take a professional bread jumper to clear. The sweeper soon dug out a gutter which temporarily relieved the situation, but there was much more work than one man could tackle with any hope of success. A few hours later a bunch of city teamsters came along following a wagon, and armed with shovels they cleared Merrimack square and then we to the skin returned to the barn. It was something new to see teamsters doing a shovel act.

The sand men hadn't shown up at noon though the rain had left icy sidewalks that caused many a hard fall. It was a bad day for the poor children who are obliged to carry dinners to their parents in the mills. One case, not without its amusing feature, happened in Merrimack street, in front of the Merrimac Hotel shortly before noon. Two little girls each carrying a dinner pail were walking along hurrying to get to the Merrimack mills at noon. One of them struck an icy spot and went down, while the cover of the dinner pail flew into the air and out upon the wet sidewalk rolled three huge slices of buttered bread and a fine big potato. The little girl who fell, upon seeing the result of the accident, started to weep, whereupon her companion said: "Get up, Mamie, it's all right," at the same time gathering up the food that had escaped the warm confines of the pail. Going into a doorway nearby the girl carefully lifted up her skirt until she struck a dry spot and then carefully "brushing" the bread and potato returned them to the pail and covering it said to her weeping friend, "Come on, it's all right. He won't know the difference."

Undoubtedly it is many a long day since there has been such a general display of profanity, cuss words of all kinds throughout this city than was heard on all sides today, while the doctors and the undertakers wear looks of anticipation and one was heard to remark that it is always an ill-wind that blows good to nobody.

A big night at Saganore dance, Friday evening. Associate hall.

CONDITION UNCHANGED

A. C. Wheelock is Resting Comfortably Today

The condition of A. C. Wheelock, who is critically ill at his home in Nesmith street, remains unchanged today, though he is resting comfortably.

MAPLE CLUB REORGANIZED

The Maple social club has reorganized and has changed its name to the Maple Catholic association. The association is now in a very progressive state and is continually improving its spacious rooms. The building is located in Maple street and is under the supervision of the following officers: President, Frederick Hanley; vice-president, Frank Roume; and financial secretary and treasurer, Jos. Sullivan.

FREE MUSICALE TONIGHT

The concert in the hall of the women's branch of the People's club, Rumels building, at 7.45 tonight will be entirely free to the public and everybody is invited. It will be directed by Mr. Wilfred Kershaw, and he will be assisted by well known local artists in an excellent program. A concert so fine offered without price to the public is most unusual.

HELD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Frank P. Cogger, son of Patrolman Daniel W. Cogger, observed the 16th anniversary of his birth Monday by entertaining a number of his schoolmates and friends at the home of his parents, 524 Moody street. During the evening young Mr. Cogger was presented a handsome signet ring. Games were played and a musical and literary program carried out. Refreshments were served during the evening.

LATEST

PORTER A CROOK

Has Criminal Record in Several Other Cities

Man Who Was Charged With Keeping Liquor Collapsed in Police Court—Other Offenders Disposed of in Court

George A. and Jeanette Porter, who travel under many aliases and claim to be man and wife and thought to be two of the cleverest crooks in this section of the country, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on complaints charging them with the larceny of clothing and silverware, the property of Pierre Poissant and Mrs. Amanda Rivers. Porter entered a plea of not guilty, while his wife pleaded guilty. The court, however, found both guilty and sentenced the man to one year in the house of correction and the woman to six months in jail.

As sentence was pronounced on the woman she collapsed and fell to the floor and it was some time before she revived.

On the first count they were charged with the larceny of 18 knives, nine forks, one spoon, a shawl, five towels, one hook, two table cloths and several minor articles, the property of Pierre Poissant and the second count charged them with the larceny of three curtains, three table cloths, a chemise and ten yards of lace, the property of Mrs. Amanda Rivers.

Pierre Poissant said he had examined the stolen articles and found that the greater portion of the articles belonged to him. He had them stored in a room in the building in Middlesex street, formerly known as the Hotel Frontenac.

Mrs. Amanda Rivers was called and identified some of the articles as her property.

Patrolman Peter Cawley said he arrested the couple yesterday morning. He went there with a search warrant and found the different articles hidden in various parts of the room, the silverware being stowed away in a pillow on the bed.

Testifying in his own behalf Porter said that when he saw the articles he asked his wife where she had got them and when she told him he told her to put them back, but she refused to do so.

"Where did you come from?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Manchester," was the response.

"Were you ever arrested?"

"Yes, in Lewiston. I got sixty days for being drunk."

"Ever arrested in Concord?"

"Yes, I was charged with horse stealing, but was acquitted.

"Were you arrested for passing worthless checks?"

"Not there."

"Where?"

"Portland."

Handing the witness a newspaper clipping containing a picture Deputy Welch asked: "Is that a good picture of you?"

"I would say it was."

"Did you cut it out of a paper and keep it?"

"I don't know."

"You didn't know that that was in your room?"

"No, sir."

"You were known under the name of Bredo there, weren't you?"

"That was my stepfather's name."

"Were you known as True also?"

"No, sir."

Deputy Welch said that Porter had said he was married to his wife in Auburn seven years ago, while she said that she was married to Porter in Sherbrooke about 12 years ago.

Judge Hadley asked Porter if he was a well man.

"Not very well," was the answer.

"What is the matter with you?"

"I am a morphine fiend."

"How long have you been addicted to the use of that drug?"

"About seven or eight years."

"Is your wife addicted to the same trouble?"

"Yes, sir."

The court then found both guilty and sentenced the man to the house of correction and the woman to jail.

According to the police, Porter is known as Fred and Frank Bredo and Ernest and Edward True and is well known to the police of New England. Both Porter and his wife are morphine fiends and while in the police station the drug had to be given to them on several occasions.

Tried to Take Her Life

Jessie Harrison, who will be 20 years old in a couple of weeks, was arrested by the Nashua police yesterday after she had made an attempt to commit suicide by jumping into one of the canals and she was brought to this city last night by Sergt. Thomas Atkinson.

She was charged with being a child born child and entered a plea of not guilty. The girl's mother said that she could do nothing with Jessie and that a short time ago the girl ran away from her.

The Harrison girl said that she had run away with a fellow as she had got tired of living with her mother. She heaped abuse upon her mother, but when she was sentenced to the woman's prison at Sherborn she broke out in a crying spell and shouting at the top of her voice said: "Take me back, mamma, please. I will be good. Forgive me this time."

Man Collapsed in Dock

Joseph McKenna, charged with illegally keeping liquor in a house in Howard street, collapsed in the dock in police court this morning while waiting for his case to be called. He was taken from the dock to the floor below, where Drs. Benner and Smith attended him. When he was able to be brought back to the court room the case against him was continued till tomorrow morning.

Neglected His Wife

Eugene Benoit pleaded not guilty to a complaint made by his wife, charging him with failing to provide for her since the first of October. He was placed on probation.

Pleaded Not Guilty

John E. Bell of this city and George T. Fagan, of Lawrence, were arrested late yesterday afternoon by Patrolman William G. Bumps and when asked to plead to complaints of drunkenness, entered pleas of not guilty. Bell said he had a few drinks, but was not intoxicated. He said that Fagan, who was a stranger to him, was annoying him and it was while trying to get rid of his objectionable friend that he was arrested. Fines of $2 were imposed in both cases.

Stole a Hammer

Charles E. Badger pleaded guilty to the larceny of a hammer, the property of James F. Corbett, the pawnbroker. Badger said he was drunk and did not know what he was doing. He was fined $6.

Drunken Offenders

Thomas P. Daly was charged with being drunk. It was his 22d appearance before the court and his third time within a year. Inasmuch as he has a wife and family to support the court decided to give him another chance. He was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail and placed on probation for one year.

James McDeavitt received a sentence to the state farm.

Jennie Fletcher made her 26th visit in the court and for the next three months will be found at the Lowell jail.

James Murphy, second offender, was fined $6.

Five first offenders were each fined $2 and eight simple drunks were released.

DEATHS

CURRAN—Miss Jane Curran died yesterday afternoon at her home, 228 Lawrence street, after a lingering illness, at the age of 36 years. She leaves two brothers, John of this city and Henry of New York.

BEANE—Mrs. Elisabeth T. Beane died yesterday afternoon at her home, 212 Tenth street, at the age of 84 years. She leaves her husband, Andrew J. Beane; one daughter, Marion Ingalls; one step-daughter, Miss Mary A. Beane; two brothers, John M. Hayes, of Sanford Me., and Charles J. Hayes of Togus, Me.; two sisters, Mrs. C. M. Moore of Lynn, and Mrs. M. C. Wilson, also of Lynn. She was a member of the Centralville Methodist church, Women's Relief corps, and the Centralville lodge of Rebekahs. Funeral notice later.

HANSON—Mrs. Grace A. Hanson, aged 65 years, an old and respected resident of St. Michael's parish, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary McCann, No. 7 Hampshire place. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. McCann, and six grandchildren.

Funeral will take place Friday morning from her late home at 8.30 o'clock and there will be a high mass of requiem at St. Michael's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Jas. W. McKenna.

M. A. CORCORAN

APPOINTED HAT BUYER FOR MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.

Mr. Michael A. Corcoran, for many years in the employ of the Merrimack Clothing Co. has been promoted to the position of hat buyer for that establishment.

Mr. Corcoran is thoroughly familiar with Lowell men's hat wants. He has had considerable practical experience, having been associated with the Merrimack as a men's furnishing and hat salesman for the past dozen years.

He is a man of affairs and is made of the live kind of material that has constantly forced him to the front.

He has already entered upon his new duties and will endeavor to merit the patronage of his many friends and clients. He will have the best up-to-date hat department in Lowell.

STREET RAILWAY MEN

Two well attended meetings of the local division of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes of America were held yesterday at the association rooms in Merrimack street. One meeting was at two o'clock in the afternoon and the other at seven o'clock in the evening. Reports were heard from the celebration board and the business of the board were considered.

Several applications for membership were received and favorably acted upon.

The final arrangements were completed for the annual concert and dance which is to be held tonight.

REV. DR. MARTIN

Spoke on Lincoln Before the Congregational Club

At the regular meeting of the Congregational club, held in the High street church vestry last night, Rev. Dr. George E. Martin of the Kirk street church gave an eloquent address on Abraham Lincoln, and paid to the memory of the noblest of men the grandest of tributes. In part, he said: "Lincoln had visions and he believed he was an instrument of God's for the betterment of mankind. His last vision came on the night of Feb. 12, 1864, on his 55th birthday. Lincoln repeated it afterwards to a few friends. The month of February, 1864, had been one of great disappointment and of real great trial to the president. It had been the most disappointing month in the history of the nation. Gen. Gilmore had been sent to Jacksonville, Fla., to seize stores from the rebels, and which would prove, if seized, of vast importance to the northern forces. But the president had not heard whether the plan had proven successful or not. Two days before this vision, Gen. Sherman had started eastward and Gen. Smith had had his orders to move in a southeasterly direction, and to effect a junction with Gen. Sherman. But the president had received no news of the orders being successfully carried out. Gen. Kilpatrick had been ordered to begin a frontal attack on Richmond, the following morning. The president was in quandary as to whether this was a wise move or not. He had just signed a draft for 500,000 more men, boys, from the north. His sympathetic nature shuddered at the thought of the sacrifice of more blood. And he had determined that on the following morning Gen. Grant should be put at the head of the entire Union forces. He knew his enemies would come down on him like an avalanche for this selection. Wendell Phillips, up in the north, had hurled at him bitter denunciation and called him the country's most colossal failure. Horace Greeley, in an article under which he signed his name, said: 'His administration has been worse than useless, and Abraham Lincoln himself is worse than a fool.' And that was the month that the president had lost, by death, his little son. He never recovered from this shock.

And this night, as the hours wore on, the great man, torn to the quick of sympathy, torn by conflicting opinions, by doubt, thought on and on. The great frame sank down, the great eyes closed and the vision came on him. As he told it, a tall white angel appeared at his side. Placing a cold, white hand over his shoulder and down above his heart, the angel said: "I will lift the curtain of 40 years hence, that you may have the courage to go on with your great task." And they floated over a great city and into a hall crowded with people. There were two pictures hanging at the rear of the platform in the great hall. And over one was the legend "Father of His Country," and under it was the name "George Washington." Over the other was the legend "Savior of His Country," and under it was the name "Abraham Lincoln." And then the angel and the president floated out and over a vast amphitheatre, in which were marching thousands of soldiers. They were the grandsons of the men who had fought on one side in blue, and on the other in gray. And they were all marching side by side. And then they went over a vast auditorium where a boy arose and gave his Gettysburg speech. And then they came over a home, where a gentle-faced woman and a strong man, each with a hand in the hand of a child, stood looking up at the picture of Lincoln placed on a mantel. And then they floated back to the president's office. The bells of midnight were sounding and the voice of Tad was calling. And the angel said to him, as it departed: "Abraham, don't ever say after this night that your life isn't worth while. It is worth while." And little Tad asked him if he had been dreaming again, and the father answered "Yes." "I've been waiting for your kiss a long while, father," said the boy. "I couldn't go to sleep without it." And the father gathered up the son in his arms, and up, up they went to the chambers above.

"Lincoln was so unique that he is great," said the speaker; "so great that he is loved. He was a temple of God's, this mountain among men. The foundations of this temple were based on absolute righteousness. . . . And when the temple fell, it left a vast, lonely space against the sky."

Supper was served at 6.30 and at the head of the table besides Dr. Martin, were: Rev. B. A. Willmott, who presided; Rev. A. Frederic Dunnels, of the Highland Congregational church; Rev. A. C. Ferrin of the High Street Congregational church; Henry A. Smith, Harvey B. Greene, Sheriff E W Clark and A C Russell. After the meeting Dr. and Mrs. Martin were tendered an informal reception.

FUNERALS

WILLIAMS—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella D. Williams took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 121 London street, Rev. Robert F. True and Rev. George E. Tomkinson officiating. There was singing by Messrs. Beavens and Davis, and the bearers were: Harry Etabrook, Frederick Hammond, Robert Lindsay and Alexander Lindsay. The floral offerings were especially profuse, among which were the following: Pillow, husband; wreaths, mother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williams, Mrs. Eli Harris, Armour and Co., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson; star on base, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ryan, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pangburn; baskets, Miss Alice and Fred Hammond, Miss Ella Clegg, O. A. Draper and family; crescent on base, Immanuel Baptist church; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. David Coutte, Mr. and Mrs. William Coutte and family, William Gillespie, C. F. Young, Harry Esterbrook, W. C. T. U., Mr. and Mrs. C. McEvans and sons, Mr. and Mrs. E. Whittier, Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Russell, John McEvans and Mrs. Worcester, Miss Mary Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leath, Mr. and Mrs. William Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, Floyd Bible class, Mrs. S. Peterson, Mrs. M. Hodge, Elisabeth Jones, Ira Roberts, Annie Aldrich, and Emma Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payton, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. True, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kappler, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lindsay, Mrs. Teugh, Mrs Dunlap and family, Miss Minnie Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dunlas.

Burial was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of C. M. Young Co.

FAY—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Fay, an aunt of Most Rev. William H. O'Connell, who died Sunday afternoon at the home of her niece, Mrs. Henry Hatch, 42 Addington road, Brookline, took place yesterday morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of her niece, and was largely attended.

At the church of the Assumption, Brookline, at 10 o'clock, a solemn high funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. James P. E. O'Connell, secretary to the archbishop, and present in the sanctuary was His Grace, the archbishop, and a large number of priests of the diocese, including Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., and Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, this city.

After the ceremony, the funeral proceeded to the North Union station, Boston, where the body was placed on board the 11.30 train, arriving in Lowell at 12.07 p. m. On arriving in this city the funeral wended its way to the Catholic cemetery followed by the immediate relatives of the deceased. Present at the grave were a number of her friends of this city. The burial took place in the family lot, where prayers were read by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Frs. Ronan, Mullin and Tighe, O. M. I.

The bearers were four nephews of the deceased, John, Luke, Matthew and Edward O'Connell, all of this city. The funeral arrangements and burial were in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

FUNERAL NOTICE

DOWD—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia Dowd, widow of Patrick Dowd, will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, and at 10 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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JAPANESE PAPERS

State There is Great Opposition to Japanese Residents

TOKIO, Feb. 10.—The Japanese newspapers continue to be filled with despatches emanating from San Francisco, New York and London, indicating a serious increase of anti-Japanese sentiment in the Pacific coast states which is said to be rapidly spreading to interior states. The Asahi's San Francisco correspondent has cabled to the paper alleged statements and utterances of senators and others which are of a most sensational character. The despatches state that all Pacific states are developing grave opposition to the Japanese residents and urging legislative measures which would deprive such residents of all rights which enable them to reside and transact business in the states.

These despatches are being widely read throughout Japan and are creating a deep impression. The Asahi, which is independent politically, editorially comments on the despatches, however, urging upon the Japanese patience and a reliance upon the better elements among the Americans for a protection of their rights.

The Hochi, which is of the sensationalist press, makes heated and passionate comments on the American despatches and concludes with the Japanese proverb, "Even Buddha loses patience if his face is slapped thrice."

London despatches also depict the anti-Japanese situation in America as grave.

The attitude of the government officials here and of the better classes that absolutely control Japan remains unchanged. Americans everywhere are assured that Japan has no reason to believe that the action of the state legislatures will in any way affect the relations between the two countries.

It is believed here, however, that the sensational presentation of the situation by the California correspondents of the Japanese press must seriously affect the business future and standing not only of Americans, but of all foreigners in Japan. Ninety-nine per cent of the Japanese are unable to distinguish between the various nationalities. All of the foreigners in Japan are considered alike.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

A stereopticon lecture on "Athens" will be given by Rev. Dr. George E. Martin next Thursday at 7.45 p. m. in Kitson hall. The public is cordially invited.

Again, this week, at the regular Wednesday noon meeting at 12.25, a report of the Chapman - Alexander meeting in Boston is to be made by Miss Field. Miss Curren will sing.

Tonight at 7.30 there is to be a valentine party given by the members of the Kilfa club. A most enjoyable time is anticipated.

The social committee is planning a valentine party for next Monday evening, to which all young women, with their gentlemen friends, will be invited.

The missionary committee asks all those who promised things for Grace Eaton's box to bring them to the association building at the earliest possible date, so that a correct list of things still needed may be made. Will friends kindly heed this request?

Those young women who plan to join the party now forming to attend the Chapman meeting in Boston, Saturday evening, are requested to leave Lowell on the 2.41 train Saturday afternoon.

The friendly rivalry now evident in the Young Women's Christian association circles speaks of some energetic effort being put forth by captains and squads on both sides in the membership campaign. For the first two weeks the Harvards (matrons) have been in the lead, but last night the Dartmouths (maidens) hoisted their green flag. This is the hour for a united, steady pull together, and the goal can be reached by the 20th—500 new members.

All captains on the Dartmouth side are requested to meet tonight at seven o'clock for a brief meeting and reports.

BILLERICA

A progressive whist tournament opened Monday night between the Billerica Republican club and the Mathew Total Abstinence society. Each organization was represented by eight teams and considerable interest was displayed during the evening. The Republican club won the first night's play by a score of 328 to 305. The scores of the different teams are as follows: Republican club, J. Higson and G. Chambers, 55; Whitehead and McBride, 46; W. Higson and W. Chambers, 48; Twombly and Stott, 46; M. Donald and Wain, 36; F. Brown and Eaton, 36; Garner and G. H. Brown, 38; Perry and Nickerson, 52; Mathews, Riley and Phair, 50; J. O'Toole and A. O'Toole, 46; M. Conway and Campbell, 42; Shallop and Sheridan, 38; Costello and Welsh, 37; Bradley, and J. Conway, 36; McCarthy and Hinton, 30; Hannon and Fitzpatrick. The next session will take place Monday, Feb. 15.

The sewing circle in connection with Winning Rebekah lodge met in Odd Fellows hall Monday afternoon with a good attendance. At the close of the sewing hour, the company was pleasantly entertained by Miss Jennie Blodgett, with selections from the life of Lincoln. Supper was served at 6.30. Clara Barrett and Jennie Barker in charge. There was the regular lodge meeting in the evening.

Two holes blew out of the cylinder head of the engine at the Faulkner plant Monday morning necessitating the shutting down of the mill and closing the several departments for the day.

HAD A SHOCK

The ambulance was called to 245 Tenth street this morning about 8.30 o'clock and Mrs. John Keefe, an elderly woman who had suffered a paralytic shock, was removed to St. John's hospital. The woman was semi-conscious at the time but the doctors at the hospital are of the belief that her condition is not serious.

READING HER PALM

6 O'CLOCK

FIGHT RESUMED

On Bills On Anti-Japanese Legislation in California

SACRAMENTO, Cal. Feb. 10.—The fight in the California legislature over the anti-Japanese bills was resumed today with the argument on the question of the reconsideration of the measure providing separate schools for Japanese children. Gov. Gillett has frankly announced that all of his efforts to have the bill withdrawn have proven abortive. At the conference yesterday Rep. Johnson was asked to withdraw the bill but Gov. Gillett denies that any compromise in the way of promise of support for milder anti-Japanese measures was given to induce the assemblyman from Sacramento to consent to the sacrifice of his pet measure. It is hardly likely that a motion to reconsider will prevail today unless Speaker Walter Stanton possibly brings the party lash into play for since the democratic caucus many of the republicans have maintained that the minority has seized upon the Japanese question to play for political advantage.

Johnson's bill to restrict unhealthy, undesirable and immoral persons to certain prescribed limits in municipalities will come up for action today.

In the senate the only anti-Japanese matter in sight is a set of resolutions prepared by Mark Anthony on the subject. It is said that the resolutions will score the president for his rebuke of Senator Perkins.

GOVERNOR'S EFFORTS FAIL

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 10.—All efforts of Gov. Gillett and his supporters in the assembly to make a compromise agreement on anti-Japanese legislation have failed. Grover Johnson notified the governor and Speaker Stanton today that he stood "pat."

STEAMER IS SAFE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Any anxiety that might have been felt for the safety of the steamer Captain Lucas of the Standard Oil Co.'s fleet was removed today when word was received at the company's offices here of her safe arrival at her destination, St. John, N. B. The Captain, A. E. Lucas, is believed to have been the steamer reported yesterday by the steamer Victoria de Larrinaga sighted February 8 off Martha's Vineyard in apparent difficulties. She reported no trouble at her arrival at St. John.

TAFT AND SHERMAN

Their Election Formally Ratified by Congress Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The election of W. H. Taft as president of the United States and of James Sherman as vice president was formally ratified at a joint session of the house and senate in the hall of the house of representatives this afternoon. The presiding officer of the joint session was Vice President Fairbanks who occupied a seat on the right of Speaker Cannon.

After announcing the purpose of the gathering Vice President Fairbanks unlocked two wooden boxes containing the electoral votes, extracting and opening them in alphabetical order by states. As the votes of each state were opened they were handed to four tellers who counted them. These tellers were Senators Burrows and Bailey and Reps. Haines and Russell. At the conclusion of the count the result, showing 321 electoral votes for Taft and Sherman and 162 votes for Bryan and Kern, was handed to the presiding officer who thereupon inquired if there was any protest against the vote as announced. There being none, Vice President Fairbanks formally announced the election of Mr. Taft and Sherman. The joint session then came to an end, the members of the senate returning to their chamber for the transaction of business.

Owing to the limited capacity of the house few persons other than the families and relatives of the members of the two branches of congress witnessed the ceremony.

SPECIAL SALE

6c—PEERLESS MILK—6c

ON THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY of this week we will sell BORDEN'S PEERLESS MILK—family size—regular price 10c, for ..... 6c a Can

Seeded Raisins, finest quality, double crown, recleaned Muscatel, regular price 12c, our price ..... 9c, 3 for 25c

Black Pepper, Stickney & Poors, ¼ lb. carton 4c

Best Teas, all kinds ..... 25c lb.

Best Coffee, Fenway Blend ..... 18c lb.

Cocoa—Walter Baker's, 20c ½ lb., 10c ¼ lb.

Spices—Stickney & Poors, all kinds ..... 5c quarter lb.

Mustard—Stickney & Poors, 8c

Cream Tartar ..... 6c quarter lb.

Extracts—all flavors, pure 7c

Corn Starch—pound package 5c

Baking Powder ..... 12c lb.

8c a half lb., 5c quarter lb.

Saleratus ..... per pound 4c

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SEC'Y MERRILL

Commends Sun Editorial and Police Dept.

Secretary Merrill of the Law and Order league yesterday telephoned to congratulate The Sun upon yesterday's editorial dealing with the damage done to Lowell by people who parade in public whatever evil they can find in Lowell and hold it up as indicative of general conditions. He never believed in such methods and he rejoices to find the practice so admirably condemned as it was in yesterday's editorial.

Mr. Merrill also spoke of the excellent work done by the police department and said he has never yet found Supt. Moffatt or Deputy Welch to fall down on any case. He believes the police board and the department as a whole is making an honest effort to enforce the law and if anybody has any evidence of violation it should be submitted to the police department rather than shouted from the house tops. On this we agree perfectly with Mr. Merrill.

From several sources The Sun has received similar compliments on the stand it has taken against the people who slander the city and thereby injure its reputation with outsiders who thus conclude that Lowell is a good city to keep away from.

Lowell is a good, peaceable and orderly city, a good city to live in, and especially a good city to do business in.

THE GARVEY CASE

Settled by Payment of Claims Today

The case of Thomas F. Garvey vs. City of Lowell is a thing of the past. The record of the settlement is now on file at the city treasurer's office, and the city this forenoon paid the sum of $1351.98, to avoid further litigation.

Upon receipt of that amount Francis W. Qua, counsel for Mr. Garvey, gave to the city treasurer the following legal acknowledgement, signed and sealed by Mr. Garvey:

Know all men by these presents: That I, Thomas F. Garvey, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and commonwealth of Massachusetts, plaintiff in the action of Thomas F. Garvey vs. City of Lowell, No. 14,773, in consideration of the settlement of said action and the payment to me of the amount of the judgment and costs, to wit, the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty-one dollars and ninety-eight cents ($1351.98), do hereby release and discharge the city of Lowell of and from all claims and demands, actions and causes of action, at law or in equity, which I have or may have against said city for any acts, doings or omissions of said city or any of its officers prior to Jan. 10, 1909.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal, etc.

A NEW BUREAU

For the Department of Interior

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The establishment of a children's bureau in the department of the interior is provided for in a bill on expenditures in the interior department which was decided upon favorably in the house today.

The bill places the bureau under the direction of a chief to be appointed by the president who is to receive $5000 a year.

The purpose of the bureau as outlined in the measure would be to investigate and report on all matters pertaining to the welfare of children and child life, infant mortality, the birth rate, physical degeneracy, juvenile courts, illegitimacy, dangerous occupation, employment, legislation affecting children in the several states and territories and any other facts bearing upon children's welfare. The bill provides for an assistant chief and a large force together with four special agents.

BILL PRESENTED

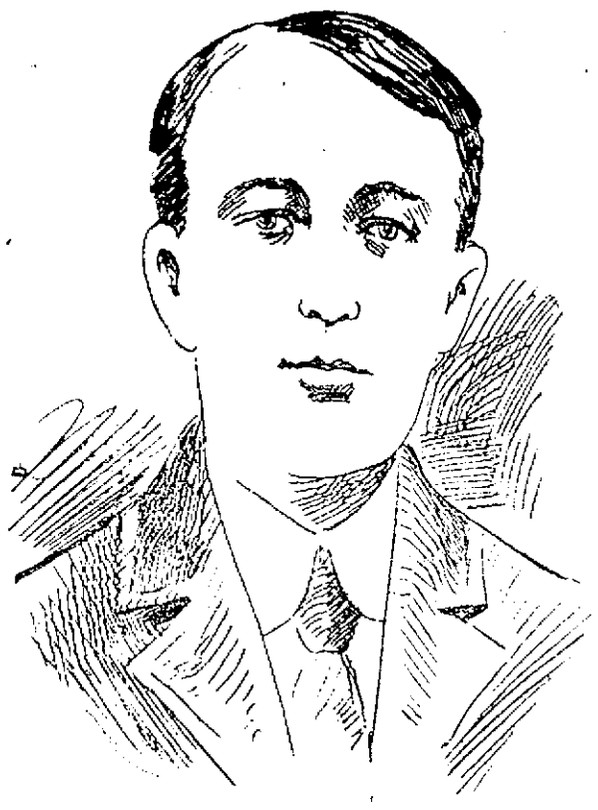
To Tax the Railroads in Maine

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 9.—An act relating to the taxation of steam railroads was introduced in the senate today by Mr. Staples of Knox. It provides that between the first day of April and the first day of May of each year the state board of assessors shall appraise the railroads doing business in this state with their franchises, rolling stock, road bed and fixtures at their cash value and upon this valuation to levy a tax of one per cent. so as to make such tax upon railroads as equal as may be to all other property in the state. The line, buildings and fixtures shall be taxed in towns and cities where situated as like property is taxed in these places. In the case of railroads extending beyond the limits of the state the state board shall appraise the road within the state and so much of the franchise as is owned or operated in the state. The act gives authority to cause officials of the road and employes to appear and give evidence.

BADLY INJURED

MISS MANUEL WAS THROWN THROUGH MILL WINDOW

FRANKLIN, N. H., Feb. 10.—Miss Ida M. Manuel, an assistant teacher in the Franklin high school, was thrown out in a runaway accident at the foot of Prospect hill yesterday afternoon, and seriously injured. Miss Manuel was driving from her home, Willowdale farm, off Prospect street, and in front of paper mill of the International Paper company. Miss Manuel was thrown out and her head and shoulders went through a window into the basement of the mill. She shot head first through the window and her shoulder struck a bar in a valve. Her shoulder was broken, three ribs crushed in and internal injuries inflicted. Two physicians who treated her at the office of one, where she was carried, said that they were unable to state the exact extent of her injuries. Miss Manuel was rendered unconscious by the accident. She is in such a state of collapse that the fractures cannot yet be reduced.



ARTHUR D. HILL, SAID TO BE GOV. DRAPER'S CHOICE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

ARTHUR D. HILL

May be John B. Moran's Successor

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Unless Gov. Draper changes his mind he will appoint Arthur Dehon Hill, a former opponent of John B. Moran, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the district attorney of Suffolk county, say those close to the governor.

Another prominent republican lawyer, who usually knows what is going on at the state house, said last night that the governor in a talk with Mr. Hill had tendered him the position and Mr. Hill had accepted.

BOSTON LAWYER INSTANTLY KILLED

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 10.—Waldron Bates, an attorney of Boston, Mass., was instantly killed by a train at Monroe, near here, last night. It is presumed that he left the train for exercise and fell under it while attempting to board it after it had started. A coroner's jury today exonerated the railroad. The body was sent to Boston today.

POSTAL EMPLOYES

ARE SAID TO BE LOBBYING IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Acting upon charges made against three officers of the organizations of the postal employes, Postmaster General Meyer yesterday served notice that he would allow them 10 days in which to defend themselves of the allegations of lobbying before congress in the interest of legislation affecting postal employes.

Officials of the department declined to divulge the names of those who made the complaints against the three men, Frank T. Rogers of Chicago, president of the United association of postoffice clerks; William E. Kelly of Brooklyn, president of the National association of letter carriers, and E. H. Roberts of this city, representing the railway postal clerks.

In the case of Kelly and Rogers, the postmaster general has also canceled their leaves of absence and issued instructions to them to return immediately to their respective posts of duty.

The postmaster general's action was taken after several conferences with President Roosevelt. The former has caused a letter to be written to each of the three men, in which it is declared in part:

"It is alleged that you have violated the executive order dated Jan. 31, 1902, in that you have attempted to influence legislation in your own interest and in the interests of the association which you represent."

DENMAN THOMPSON IMPROVED

WEST SWANZEY, N. H., Feb. 10.—Because of the rapid improvement shown in the condition of Denman Thompson, the actor, who has been suffering from pneumonia at his home here the past week, the amount of oxygen administered to him has been diminished greatly. His attendants stated today that he is gradually regaining strength.

IDLE HOUR COTILLION

The annual cotillion of the Idle Hour club will be held in Associate hall this evening and promises to be the most brilliant event of the season in the social line.

Sagamore dance, Fri. Eve., Associate.

NORMAL SCHOOL

NASHUA MAKES OFFER TO THE STATE

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 10.—The Arlington street school building, worth about $50,000, including seven acres of land and $15,000 in money toward other buildings, were offered by the city of Nashua to the state committee on normal schools at Concord today. This offer is made by way of inducement for the location of the branch of the state normal school in Nashua.

At the meeting of the city councils last evening the committee on education appeared and asked for the renewal of the offer of two years ago. A resolution was submitted and unanimously passed and today members of the board of education and the city councils appeared before the committee with Nashua's proposition. There are several bills now before the legislature on the normal school matter and it is believed that Nashua stands a good chance of getting the school. This city's proposition to the state is the best that has been offered.

FOR VOTING MACHINES

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 10.—Bills providing for an appropriation of $30,000 to secure voting machines to be used at city and state elections and for $12,500 for the extermination of the tussock moth and the elm beetle were presented to the legislature today and were turned over to the committee on finance.

DEPT. SUPPLIES

Delivery to Be Closely Inspected

CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY

Public Invited to Exercises in High School Hall on Lincoln Day Evening. Other Matters

Heads of departments sit up and take notice, for the chief executive hath spoken:

Hereafter you must be present or have a representative on hand when goods are being delivered to your respective departments and if you fail in this it will go hard with you.

The mayor, this forenoon, declared that he would issue an order that would hold the heads of departments responsible for the quality and quantity of the supplies provided them on requisition. "When supplies are being delivered a department," he said, "the head of that department or his representative must be on hand to see that the contractor shall deliver the quality and quantity specified in the requisition. The purchasing agent or a representative from his department will be there too."

"If heads of departments fail to comply with my order to be present and inspect supplies at the time of delivery I will remove them. The city council may not back me up in it but I'll remove them anyway."

Mayor on Mileage Books

Mayor Brown went to Boston today to attend the New England Water Works convention, which is being held at the Brunswick house, and prior to his going he left word with his private secretary to notify all heads of departments that he had decided to call a halt to the promiscuous distribution among department heads of mileage books.

Pay Day Thursday

Because Lincoln days falls on Friday, which is pay day at city hall, Thursday will be pay day, and bills that would have been paid on Friday will be paid on Saturday.

Memorial Exercises

Don't forget that the public is invited to the exercises to be held in high school hall on Lincoln day evening.

THE BILLERICAS

DEFEATED THE CHRISTIAN HILL TEAM

The Billericas defeated the Christian Hills by a score of 14 to 12 last night in one of the closest matches played in the Lowell and Suburban Basketball league series. The Billericas took the lead at the start and held it till the end of the game, but the quintet from Christian Hill played an excellent game and pushed their opponents to the limit. Bull of the winning team was right there when it came to throwing for the basket and caged the ball on four different occasions.

The lineup and summary:

Christian Hill	Billerica
Freeman lf	r Harley
Atkinson rf	lr Baker
Jenkins c	c Turner
Walker lb	rf Bull
Mills rb	lb Mahoney

Score—Billerica 14, Christian Hill 12. Goals by—Bull 4, Atkinson 3, Mills 2, Mahoney, Turner, Harley. Fouls on Fouls—Atkinson 2. Referee—Sutherland. Timer—Bleakley. Attendance—150.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

Sends Message of Thanks to American People

DUBLIN, Feb. 10.—Compared with yesterday's stormy scenes the Irish national convention at its second day's session at the Mansion house today was a very orderly affair. John Dillon, however, drew a hot fire when he opposed a motion to the effect that the Irish language should be among the compulsory subjects for matriculation at the National university. He took the ground that compulsion led to the inference that the people would not study their native language unless compelled to do so. The Gaelic league representatives, however, carried the convention and the resolution was approved. Other resolutions included thanks to the people of America in their generosity in supporting the Irish cause.

MACVEAGH FOR CABINET PLACE

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—As Mr. George M. Reynolds is out of the field for the position of secretary of the treasury, the name of Mr. Franklin MacVeagh of this city will probably be presented to President-elect Taft. Mr. MacVeagh is a prominent merchant of this city but has taken an active interest in politics for many years.

BATTLESHIP IDAHO SAILS

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—The battleship Idaho, one of the ships of the fleet which is to meet and escort into Hampton Roads the 16 battleships now on the last run in their tour of the world, sailed from this port today. The Idaho will proceed out to sea about two days sailing and meet the battleships New Hampshire, Maine and Mississippi. Together these vessels will steam to a point on the 35th parallel about 1000 miles from the coast where the big fleet will be met.

THE NAVY DEPT.

Committee Favors a Measure For Its Reorganization

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Hale, chairman of the committee on naval affairs today reported to the senate a bill making appropriations for the support of the navy. It carries $136,825,199, an increase of $1,075,418 over the amount carried by the bill as it was passed by the house.

No change was made in the item providing for the construction of two twenty-six thousand ton battleships.

The senate provided that no part of the appropriation for the marine corps may be expended unless the corps is continued in service as heretofore on naval vessels.

The recommendation of Secretary Newberry for the appointment of a commission to consider the reorganization of the navy department was adopted by the committee. Some of the court amendments made by the senate committee are as follows:

"The office of vice admiral on the retired list is created which it is understood is in the interest of Rear Admiral Evans." There is also an amendment authorizing the employment of fifteen dental surgeons.

"COUNCIL OF LABOR"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Many prominent labor leaders participated in a "council of labor" at the department of commerce and labor today and discussed questions of vital interest to the wage earners. President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and Commissioner General Keefe of the immigration bureau were among those active at the gathering.

OLD BUILDING

ON CHELMSFORD ST. TO GIVE PLACE TO NEW ONE

Workmen are now engaged in tearing down the old building at the corner of New Fletcher and Chelmsford streets, formerly occupied by the Bancroft Piano Stool company. The land on which the building stands has come into the possession of the Shaw Stocking company, which concern plans to add to its already large plant. The acquisition of this property by the Shaw company gives that concern control of all the land in the square bounded by Chelmsford, New Fletcher, Powell and Shaw streets.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CHICAGO, Feb. 10. — Remarkable progress in religious education was outlined in a paper read by Prof. Geo. Albert Coe of the Northwestern university at today's session of the convention of the Religious Education association.

The future is no less bright, according to another paper delivered by Henry C. Hill of Oberlin college. The astounding progress of Christianity in the Orient, particularly Japan, during the last fifty years, was dwelt on by Prof. Moore of Harvard university.

W. H. Brown, for some years secretary-treasurer of Lowell Typographical Union, No. 330, has resigned to accept a lucrative position in New York. His place will be taken by Mr. Thomas A. Gallagher.

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"COP" BADLY FOOLED

Fired a Shot After a Supposed Criminal

Who Was Running Along Moody Street to Keep Warm Last Night — Two Young Men Also Joined in the Chase

With the Rivet murder case fresh in their minds the residents of Moody street were startled Monday night to hear the sound of a pistol shot ring out upon the still night air.

Two young men were proceeding along Moody street to their homes about 10.30 o'clock when they heard the pistol shot nearby. They turned around quickly in the direction of the shot when along came a young man on the run, but on a sort of dog trot rather than a rapid run. Some distance behind him galloped a police officer who yelled to the two men to follow the runner and ascertain where he went, as the copper with his huge bundle of clothing found himself being outdistanced.

The pair started after the runaway, but kept at a respectable distance, as they didn't know whether he or the officer had fired the shot. Upon arriving at a certain house in Moody street the runner ducked into the doorway and the two young men arrived at the door just before the officer. The unknown tried the door and found it locked, and while he was searching for his keys, and innocently remarking to the two men who had followed him that it was d—— cold, up came the police officer with his gun and badly winded, and pointing the gun at the man the copper cried out: "Throw up your hands!"

The man looked at the officer for a moment in surprise, and then exclaimed:

"What in —— well I do that for? I haven't done anything. What do you mean?"

"You're the man that I've been chasing. You've been running along Moody street."

"Sure I have," replied the man. "I was running to keep warm. I'm about half frozen."

The two young men, who by this time recognized the man as a law-abiding citizen, saw the situation and giving the copper the merry ha-ha, went on their way, leaving the pair to have it out. The police officer seeing the man running thought he was running to escape arrest and ran after him. When he found he couldn't catch him he fired a shot after him.

THREE MEN KILLED

BENTON, Ill., Feb. 10.—It is reported another explosion has occurred at the Leiter mine at Zeigler, Ill., and that at least three men have been killed.

ALMOST A FIGHT

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—High words and threatened blows marked the breaking up of a hearing at the state house yesterday on a bill prohibiting women from selling or serving liquor. The bill was advocated by many labor leaders and opposed by hotelmen and representatives of women waiters. Near the close a man opposing the bill claimed that he had been insulted by an Irish waiter at which Dennis Driscoll of the Central Labor union jumped to his feet and denounced the bringing of racial discussion into the hearing and a few minutes later when it was closed he had warm words with the speaker and shook his fist in his face. Friends parted the two men.

SEVERAL INJURED

At a Fire in Chicago Yesterday

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Several women are reported to have been injured in a sudden fire which swept the fashionable Ballard apartment building at 51st street and Jefferson avenue yesterday. 150 persons, members of the fifty families occupying the building rushed into the street, some down fire escapes and some jumping from first floor windows.

LOWELL GIRL

WAS PLACED UNDER ARREST IN NASHUA

Jessie Harrison, who is still in her teens, but who has been in police court on several occasions, was arrested in Nashua yesterday, the police of the up river city having found her wandering about the streets. It is thought that she is mentally deranged. She will be brought to this city and examined by an alienist.

SENATOR HARVEY

SAYS JAPANESE ISSUE CONCERNS ONLY PACIFIC COAST

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—The Japanese question was mentioned as concerning only the Pacific coast at a Massachusetts legislative hearing yesterday before the committee on federal relations.

In advocating a resolution memorializing congress for the furtherance of international peace, Senator John L. Harvey of Waltham said that the country was in profound peace.

"How about Japan?" asked a member of the committee.

"They may accept the Japanese issue on the Pacific coast," replied the senator, "but nobody else does."

SPINE INJURED

ELECTRIC CAR COLLIDED WITH COAL WAGON

An electric car collided with one of Edward Cawley's coal wagons in Central street, near the corner of Warren street yesterday afternoon and Thomas Flood, who was driving the wagon, was thrown to the ground suffering an injury to his spine. The ambulance was summoned and he was taken to his home, 58 Lyons street, where he was attended by Dr. Mahony.

MELROSE PARTY RESCUED

SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., Feb. 10.—The Melrose party of seven persons, who left Nevada recently and became lost in Death Valley region, has been rescued by searchers who found the lost prospectors huddled together in a cave in the Panimint mountains where they had taken shelter from the heavy showers.

"TOM" LONGBOAT

To Meet Shrubb for a Purse of $7500

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The managers of Tom Longboat, the Indian Marathon runner of Hamilton, Ont., have announced that they had decided to accept the offer of a $7500 purse for a fifteen mile race in Buffalo on Feb. 25, with Alfred Shrubb, the Englishman who was defeated for the Marathon distance by the Indian in Madison Square garden last Friday night.

YOUNG HUGHES

TO SPEAK AT THE BROWN COMMENCEMENT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—Chas. E. Hughes, Jr., son of Gov. Hughes of New York, James D. Dean of Waverly, Pa., and Chauncey E. Wheeler of Plainville, Mass., were this afternoon chosen as three of the speakers for the Brown university commencement exercises.

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HIRAM P. MAXIM TESTING HIS GUN SILENCER

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10. — These photographs were taken on the occasion of the first public demonstration of the new Maxim "gun silencer" made by its inventor, Hiram Percy Maxim, before representatives of the press and several prominent gun manufacturers. The device is a little cylindrical affair, barely six inches long and about an inch in diameter, which fits snugly on the muzzle of any gun. United States army rifles and other powerful guns were fired with the anti-noise attachment, and the resultant report was scarcely louder than a mild handclap. The inventor exploded the theory that the new silencer would be useful to assassins and murderers. The sharp click which the bullet makes in cleaving the air would give warning enough, he said.

TEXTILE NOTES

Interesting Items From Mill Centres

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Creditors of the International Lace Manufacturing Co. of Ogdensburg have received their final dividend of $4755. This makes the total dividends about 5 per cent. The bankrupt firm's liabilities were $500,000, claims of about $250,000 being proved. The plant at Gouverneur is now operated by a Philadelphia corporation.

MILL FOR VALLEY FORGE

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 10.—A Philadelphia textile company has leased the old mill at Valley Forge and is making alterations preparatory to installing machinery. The new tenants are makers of woolen yarns and have large plants in Philadelphia and Camden. They will employ two or three hundred hands. It is expected that the plant will be ready for operation about July 1.

MAY BUY MUSKINGUM PLANT

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Dresden parties are considering the proposition to purchase the plant of the Muskingum Valley Woolen Manufacturing Co., and have intimated their intentions to C. T. Marshall, the trustee. If the deal goes through the plant will be put in operation.

NEW SILK MILL STARTED

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 10.—Work has been started by the P. S. Van Kirk Co. on a new mill for the Prescott-Waywell Co. The structure will be a modern building and is to cost $13,000. The site is on Graham avenue.

NIGHT SHIFT OF SIXTY

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 10.—Beginning Monday, the Scott Worsted Co.'s mill will run day and night. At present the plant is running to capacity with the day force. The new schedule will give employment to 60 additional operatives.

TO REOPEN MILL

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 10.—The Magnolia Mills Co. of Concord has placed an order for 200 spindles and other equipment and will place in operation again the old Lippard mill, which was abandoned recently, its equipment being added to that of Magnolia mill No. 1.

TO ADD 25,000 SPINDLES

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 10.—Arrangements are to be made at once by the Woodside cotton mills of Greenville, for the addition of 25,000 spindles and 700 looms. The present plant operates 45,000 spindles and 1,400 looms, on the production of sheetings. Probably $300,000 will be expended for the new equipment.

IMPROVING INMAN MILL

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Feb. 10.—Improvements are being made in the cotton mill at Inman, a mill village being added which when completed will double the capacity of the plant. The Inman has had considerable success under the management of James A. Chapman, the president.

MILL DOUBLES CAPITAL

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 10.—The capital stock of the Mecklenburg cotton mill has been raised from $100,000 to $200,000. The company runs a plant of 27,000 spindles and looms on the production of sheeting and drills.

UP AGAINST IT

"JACK" PRINCE WORKS "PHONY" DEAL IN NEW JERSEY

"Jack" Prince, the well known track builder and promoter of bicycle racing, who erected the coliseum in Lakeview avenue, this city, several years ago, and one night skipped by the light of the moon, much to the disappointment of a number of creditors, is in trouble again, and this time it is with the National Cycling association, and unless the only Jack comes to the front and adjusts matters satisfactory to the association he will get the hook, so far as bicycle racing and track building are concerned.

Prince erected a track in Paterson, N. J., which he named the Clifton Stadium and later sold it to the Stadium Amusement Co., which imagined it was purchasing a permanent franchise. The purchasers, who are new to the racing game, and who were at that time unacquainted with the methods of Prince & Eck, discovered that the latter sold them a franchise which they did not possess. It also is claimed that the franchise of the Newark track embraces the territory upon which the Clifton track is located. In view of this fact it was voted to give the Stadium Amusement Co. a conditional franchise. The condition is that only professional motor-paced and amateur races are to be held on the Clifton Stadium Sundays and holidays, so as not to interfere with the running of the sprint card at the Newark Velodrome. Mr. Bloemecke and Mr. Finkel both stated that they would co-operate with each other during the coming season for the good of all concerned.

Unless Jack Prince settles his obligations before a date to be determined by the chairman of the board of control, he will be laid on the shelf indefinitely. Prince's case came up for discussion on the complaints of several riders and others that he had not fulfilled obligations assumed during the Trenton and Paterson abbreviated six-day meets. Prince will be given a certain time to settle and unless this is done he will be restrained from further operations.

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GREAT DAMAGE

WAS DONE BY THE STORM IN MICHIGAN

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Snow and high winds, reaching blizzard proportions in many places, prevailed yesterday in Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, the Dakotas and part of Michigan.

South Dakota points report that the railroads are all blocked. In North Dakota a fierce storm is coming from the north and before morning will be sweeping the state. Railroads in the other affected states are having trouble because of heavy snow drifts.

Menominee, Mich., reports that hundreds of dollars of damage has been done there by the blizzard. Local traffic there is almost at a standstill.

MAN DROWNED

WHILE TRYING TO SAVE GIRL FRIEND

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 10.—Refusing to leave his girl friend to her fate, Albert M. Heimsath, 26 years of age, of Cleveland, O., president of the senior class of the Young Men's Christian Association training school, in this city, perished last night while endeavoring to save her from drowning. The young woman, Miss Gertrude Hurd, 18 years of age, of Springfield, also lost her life.

Heimsath and Miss Hurd went skating on Watershops pond, near the school grounds, early in the evening. There were few skaters on the pond, as the ice had been in an uncertain condition for several days, and when both broke through no one was close by to give aid. The young woman fell into the water, and apparently sank, but Heimsath retained his footing and could have easily saved himself.

Heedless of danger, however, he returned to the assistance of Miss Hurd. The ice crumbled under him, and left him struggling in the water. Before aid reached the couple life was extinct. The bodies were recovered.

INVENTOR DIED SUDDENLY

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Thomas Oliver, inventor of the Oliver typewriter, died suddenly yesterday of heart disease while waiting with his wife at a railway station to start for Pine Bluff, Ark., to test a cotton picking machine which he had recently invented and which he declared would revolutionize the cotton industry.

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STOLEN GOODS

Found on Thomas Gray Belonged to the State

The police yesterday afternoon learned that the clothing, tools, neckties and various other articles found in the possession of Thomas Gray when arrested by Patrolman James Boyle in Middlesex street a couple of weeks ago, are the property of the state and John Devlin, an inmate of the state hospital, in Tewksbury.

Devlin, who is a cripple and has been an inmate of the hospital for nearly a score of years, acts as bookbinder at the institution and does his work in an outbuilding.

On the 26th or 27th of last month, he found upon entering the building that the place had been ransacked and clothing, razors, neckties and other personal effects had been taken, as well as some tools, the property of the state. He reported the matter to the hospital officials, but the fact was not known to the police until yesterday when one of the employes of the hospital called at the police station and identified the various articles.

It will be remembered that Gray was released from the Lowell jail during the latter part of last month and the day after he was arrested in Middlesex street with the stolen goods in his possession. Being unable to find the owner of the articles or to learn how he got the goods the charge preferred against him was larceny, and he was held for the grand jury, but now a new complaint of breaking and entering and larceny will be preferred against him.

HAZELTON ARRESTED

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—James Hazelton, the colored man acquitted of wife murder at New Haven, Conn., was arrested yesterday in a house on West 78th street. He was taken to police headquarters.

Hazelton was arrested as a result of a telephone message received by the police from an unknown woman. She called up headquarters and said that she had read an account of the New Haven murder in the New York papers and that a man whom she believed to be the murderer could be found at West 78th street. The police went there and placed Hazelton under arrest. He made no resistance and when he reached police headquarters coolly told the story of the crime.

"Yes, I killed her," Hazelton said, "because we could not get along together. We had a quarrel and she began to rake up past history. I hit her on the head with a hammer and she fell insensible. Then I stabbed her. When I was sure she was dead I put her body in a trunk."

The police say that Hazelton said he slept on the trunk for several nights thereafter and covered the trunk with a quilt and left the house. He remained in New Haven two or three days and then came to New York.

LATEST PORTRAIT

Of Edward the King of England

LONDON, Feb. 10.—King Edward of England is making the first visit to Berlin since his coronation. The visit

is regarded as being politically important, and all the German newspapers are commenting on it, and it is believed it will effect good in the relations of the two empires.

$29,000 CLAIM

Entered Against the Navy Dept.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 10.—The fact that a claim for $29,000 had been lodged against the navy department on the ground that a bidder had been misled as to the value of the old drydock of the local navy yard became known yesterday, when announcement was made that three of the officers at the yard had been appointed a commission to investigate the matter.

Samuel Butters of Boston tendered the highest bid, $36,400, which was $25,400 in excess of the next highest bid. Mr. Butters had the dock towed to Point of Pines, Mass., and there parted for the metal in it. He recently filed a protest with the navy department, alleging that he had been misled as to the value of the dock and demanding that $29,000 be returned to him.

APPEALS COURT

SAYS WOMAN MUST PAY DEATH PENALTY

ALBANY, Feb. 10.—Unless Governor Hughes interferes Mrs. Mary Farmer, who was convicted of the murder of Mrs. Sarah Brennan near Watertown on April 28, 1908, must pay the death penalty. The court of appeals has affirmed the judgment of conviction of murder in the first degree.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

STEAMBOAT WAR

Interest in It Has Been Renewed

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—Interest was once more renewed in the Block Island steamboat war when an act whose effect would be to abolish the steamboat New Shoreham was introduced into the legislature by Senator Littlefield thus making the legislature a factor in the contest. Senator Littlefield said that the act was the result of the sentiment expressed at a financial town meeting. Previous to the call for the meeting, C. E. Champlain announced that the steamboat commissioners had signed a contract with the Long Island railroad company whereby the boat shall run through the island Montauk Point during the summer to connect with New York trains. The bill was sent to a committee.

A JOINT POSTOFFICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The experiment of establishing a joint Franco-American sea postoffice steamship La Bretagne of the Compagnie Generale Trans-Atlantique line, will be inaugurated next Thursday. Postmaster General Meyer has been heartily supported by Ambassador Jusserand in bringing about the arrangement. The experimental sea postoffice will be placed on all steamers of the French line plying between New York and Paris and if at the end of two months the scheme proves a success the service will be permanently established.

MANY CHANGES IN LAWS

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—More sweeping changes were made in the general laws between 1896 and 1909 than in any similar period in the history of the state, according to the report of the commission to arrange and consolidate the statutes presented to the general assembly yesterday. The report was accompanied by memoranda showing the changes made by the commission in the various statutes.

THE YELLOW PERIL

The state of California does not take very kindly to the appeals from Washington against the anti-Japanese measure, yet the state is only exercising its sovereign rights for the protection of its people. It seems there is altogether too much dread of the yellow peril at Washington. The federal government should endeavor to stop the influx of Japanese into San Francisco or else have it distributed through other parts of the country.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

A very pleasant birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McDowell in honor of their daughter, Miss Jessie Alice McDowell. About 30 playmates and friends gathered in honor of her eighth birthday and had a very enjoyable evening. There were piano solos by Miss Eva Lord and Miss Jennie McDowell; songs, Mrs. Thomas McDowell Miss Eva Lord, Master Burke and Miss Jessie McDowell; dancing by Miss Marion Gormley and Beatrice Mungovan. Refreshments were served by the Misses Ellen and Jennie McDowell.

The many friends of Miss Gertrude Doherty, the well known bookkeeper of Centralville, will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

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THE WORST YET

The Storm That Raged in Colorado

DENVER, Feb. 10.—The storm that raged throughout Colorado for the last 24 hours was one of the worst experienced in the state. Never before have the railroads been so blockaded by snow and slides. The passes through the Rocky Mountains are nearly all blocked, and traffic over the Denver & Rio Grande and Colorado & Midland is almost suspended. Thirteen snow slides are reported between Durango and Silverton and the Georgetown line of the Colorado & Southern is closed. Rio Grande east bound train No. 6 at the Utah line two days ago is again blocked at Shoshone, the slide there descending but two minutes before the arrival of the train.

Lake City has been without a train for two days and is running out of fuel. The Colorado & Midland tracks are blocked by a big slide at Sellar.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of the Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and considerable business was transacted during the evening. The attendance was very large owing to the fact that the annual roll call was held. The lodge voted to entertain Black Prince lodge of Lawrence on February 23, and there will be a supper and entertainment in the evening. The lodge plans to have every member possible attend. During the evening remarks were made by all the brothers present.

Garfield colony, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, held its regular meeting last night. The 27th anniversary of the colony is to be observed next Tuesday in an informal way by the members, at the close of the regular session. A whist party is to be held on Saturday evening, February 13.

Court Merrimack, F. of A., met in regular session in Grafton hall last night, Chief Ranger James J. Spillane presiding. There were seven applications for membership and one new member was admitted. The report of the auditing committee for the last quarter showed that the court is in a flourishing condition. The arbitration committee to serve during the ensuing term was appointed by the chief ranger. The lecturer of the court is preparing a series of entertainments to take place at the close of each meeting. During last night's session remarks for the welfare of the order were made by James Keefe, Frank V. King, Michael Corcoran, Joseph Dallagher and Thomas C. Mooney. The court is arranging for a large class initiation to take place in the near future.

WENT ASHORE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The report of a four masted schooner ashore on Hen and Chickens shoal abreast of Cape Penlopen at the entrance of Delaware bay was received by wireless here today. The schooner was apparently in a dangerous position flying signals of distress and calling for immediate assistance. The grounded vessels position is in the vicinity of Cape Penlopen lifesaving station.

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Bleached Cotton

Yard wide bleached cotton in large remnants, good soft finish. Marion price 7c yard........At 5c Yard

Yard wide bleached cotton in half pieces, nice fine quality. Marion price 8c yard ....At 6¼c Yard

Good fine cotton, yard wide, nice and soft quality. Marion price 10c yard........ At 8c Yard

Langdon 76-inch cotton, best family cotton made. Marion price 11c yard .... At 9c Yard

Langdon G. B. cotton in half pieces. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

Pride of the West cotton, finest cotton made. Marion price 15c yard .... At 11½c Yard

42-inch pillow casing cotton. Marion price 11c yard. At 7c Yard

Dwight pillow casing cotton. Marion price 15c yard. At 11c Yard

Dwight 45-inch tubing in remnants. Marion price 17c. At 13½c Yard

Lawn, Nainsook and Long Cloth

Fine white lawn in half pieces, nice fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 7c Yard

40-inch white lawn, good fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 8c Yard

Nainsook remnants for fine underwear. Marion price 12½c .... At 9c Yard

Very fine nainsook and long cloth, nice soft finish and very fine quality. Marion price 20c yard. At 13½c Yard

Very fine India and Victoria lawn. Marion price 25c yard .... At 18c Yard

Blankets and Bed Spreads

10-4 cotton blankets, full size, white, gray and striped. Marion price 59c pair .... At 50c Pair

Gray and white cotton blankets, full 11-4 size, good heavy blankets with warm tick, fleeced. Marion price $1.00 pair .... At 75c Pair

Wool blankets, good size, heavy quality. Marion price $2.00 pair........ At $1.39 Pair

11-4 wool blankets, double and single, good and warm. Marion price $4.00 pair .... At $2.39 Pair

Full size 11-4 wool blankets, very fine quality, made of California wool. Marion price $4.00 pair. At $2.75 Pair

Crashes and Table Damask

Twill cotton toweling, woven selvage. Marion price 5c yard .... At 4c Yard

Stark toweling, nice linen finish. Marion price 6¼c yard. At 5c Yard

All linen crash, brown hand bleached. Marion price 10c yard .... At 8½c Yard

Huck towels, nice soft quality and very obsorbent. Marion price 10c each .... At 7½c Each

Large huck towels, good heavy towels. Marion price 12½c .... At 9c, 3 for 25c

Turkey red table damask. Marion price 25c yard. At 17c Yard

Bleached table damask, all new patterns. Marion price 25c yard .... At 19c Yard

Mercerized table damask, very fine quality. Marion price 50c yard .... At 33c Yard

70 inches all linen damask, very fine quality in handsome design. Marion price 75c yard...... At 50c Yard

Bates' Turkey red damask. Marion price 50c yard. At 35c Yard

Flannels

Bleached domet flannels, nice soft fleeced. Marion price 8c yard .... At 5c Yard

Domet flannel, nice warm quality. Marion price 10c yard. At 6½c Yard

Bleached domet flannel, good heavy twill quality. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

White wool flannel, nice fine quality. Marion price 25c yard .... At 15c Yard

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56-inch suiting, dark and medium colors, worsted and all wool. Marion prices $1.00 and $1.25 yard. At 50c Yard

50c and 75c dress goods, cashmere, mohair, henrietta plaid, etc. Marion prices 50c and 75c yard. At 25c Yard

Dress goods, odd pieces, plain, fancy stripes and plaid. Marion prices 25c and 39c yard..... At 12½c Yard

Gingham

Apron gingham, blue checks, in all sizes, good quality. Marion price 7c yard .... At 4c Yard

Otis gingham, checks and stripes, 30 inches wide. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 8c Yard

Bates' gingham in checks, stripes and plain with side bands. Marion price 12½c yard ....At 9c Yard

Waists and Wrappers

Ladies' wrappers made of good percale, odd lots. Marion price $1.00 each .... At 59c Each

Ladies' wrappers, made of fine percale and flannelette. Marion price $1.25 each .... At 75c Each

1 lot of mill waists, made of gingham and colored lawn, slightly soiled. Marion price 50c each..At 10c Each

1 lot of ladies' waists, made of all wool flannelette, nicely trimmed. Marion price $1.00 .... At 25c Each

Ladies' white lawn waists, nicely trimmed. Marion price $1.00 each .... At 49c Each

Ladies' white lawn and fine batiste waists, all this season's designs, well trimmed. Marion price $1.25. At 79c

Corset Covers, made of good fine cloth. Marion price 25c .... At 17c

Corset Covers, made of good fine nainsook, well trimmed. Marion price 50c .... At 35c

1 Lot of Walking Skirts, made of good wool material. Marion prices $2.00 and $3.00 .... At $1.00 Each

Linen Suits. Marion price $5.00 ....At $1.00 Suit

Ladies' Corsets. Marion price 50c pair.... At 25c Pair

Corsets, W. B. P. N., etc. Marion price $1.00 pair. At 59c Pair

$1.50 and $2.00 Corsets, all good style .... At $1.00

Hosiery and Underwear

Ladies' cotton, odd lots of 10c value......... At 3c Pair

Ladies' black cotton hose, double soles, 12½c value. At 7½c Pair

Ladies' plain and lace hose, black and tan. Marion price 25c pair .... At 15c Pair

Boys' Ribbed hose, odd lot of 10c quality....At 6¼ Pair

Boys' heavy ribbed hose, fine and coarse ribbed, in all sizes. Marion price 19c pair.......... At 10c Pair

Ladies' and misses' all wool hose, plain and ribbed. Marion price 25c pair .... At 15c Pair

Ladies' heavy fleeced hose, ribbed top, spliced heel and toe. Marion price 25c pair........... At 15c Pair

Ladies' ribbed vests made of fine mercerized yarn, 25c value .... At 5c Each

Ladies' and Misses' fleeced underwear, nice fine jersey. Marion price 25c .... At 19c

Children's winter underwear. Marion price 25c. At 12½c

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Men's heavy cotton hose. Marion price 10c pair. At 7½c Pair

Men's black cotton hose, fine quality, double soles, 12½c value .... At 9c Pair, 3 for 25c

Men's merino hose, black, natural and camel's hair. Marion price 12½c pair .... At 9c Pair

Men's all wool hose, black and natural wool only. Marion price 25c pair .... At 12½c pair

Men's fine cashmere hose, very fine quality. Marion price 25c pair .... At 15c Pair

Men's jersey ribbed underwear, good heavy garment, blue, brown and ecru. Marion price 50c .....At 29c Each

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St. Patrick's Choir Gave Grand Minstrel Olio

The minstrel olio and dancing party given last evening by the members of St. Patrick's church choir under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church was a most gratifying success in every particular. For several weeks a number of talented ladies and gentlemen of the parish have been rehearsing for a grand minstrel show, and last night one of the largest audiences that ever assembled in Associate hall witnessed the best event of this kind that has ever been seen in this city for years. The grand opening chorus was by the entire company which consisted of fifty voices, with Mr. M. J. Johnson as director and pianist, accompanied by the Middlesex orchestra. The end men were very funny, and John McNabb, the local "Dockstader" acted as Tambo, with John J. Murray as bones, and Daniel S. O'Brien as interlocutor. Miss Bagley was the black faced end lady, and some of the professionals would have to go speedy to beat Miss Bagley in her song, "I want to be loved like a leading lady." Her gestures and walk made a hit and she scored a great big success. Miss McQuillan was the other end lady, and her singing of "Mandy Lane" caused roars of laughter. The comedy part by the other end men and ladies and the many timely local hits were rich sallies of wit and humor and were greatly enjoyed by the immense audience.

The musical program was composed of songs of other days, which were gems and will never grow old. The ballad, "When We're Together" by Mr. William B. Ready was sung in his usual rich tenor voice. Miss Moran sang a solo that was one of the hits of the evening. The artistic manner in which she rendered the solo brought great applause. Another solo well worthy of mention was "Heart of My Heart" by Andrew McCarthy, the baritone singer of St. Patrick's church choir. It certainly showed that he possesses a rich baritone voice and his singing was most enjoyable. Miss F. Tighe sang a solo, entitled "Because" in a most exquisite manner and was heartily received. The quartet work in the songs of other days, taking in some of the old Southern melodies was very well received. The entire company is equal to any other local amateur musical organization.

The great share of praise for this [illegible] choir should be given to Mr. Michael J. Johnson, organist of St. Patrick's church.

The program:

Opening chorus .... The Company
Arranged by M. J. Johnson.
End song, "Broke"....John J. McNabb
Ballad, "Silver Threads Among the Gold" .... Master Connelly
[illegible] "Where My Love Lies Dreaming"
[illegible]
.... Male Quartet
Solo .... Miss M. Moran
End song, "I Want to Be Loved Like a Leading Lady"..........Miss Bagley
Chorus, "Greeting to Spring," The Company
Ballad, "When We're Together," Mr. Wm. B. Ready
End song, "Mandy Lane," Miss McQuillan
Ballad, "Heart of My Heart," Andrew McCarthy
Old Songs—(a) "Lily Dale," (b) "Kentucky Home," (c) "Darling Nellie Gray," (d) "Dreaming of Home and Mother"..........Quartet and Chorus
Solo, "Because"..........Miss F. Tighe
End song, "The Meanest Man in Town"..........Mr. J. Murray
Finale, "Onward"........The Company

Stage manager, Mr. T. F. Rohan; dramatic director, Mr. John Quinn. Middlesex orchestra.

After the olio which lasted for an hour and a half the seats were removed and in a short while the sweet strains of the orchestra were heard and it is unnecessary to say that it was a continual whirl of merriment until midnight.

The affair was under the general direction of the following people: General manager, Daniel S. O'Brien; assistant general manager, Thomas Mahoney, Jr.; floor director, Thomas J. O'Donnell; assistant floor director, Andrew McCarthy, chief aid, John J. Queenan; aids, Smith J. Adams, John F. Adams, Thomas Bassett, Frank Brady, M. D., William Barry, John P. Curley, John J. Carroll, John H. Donovan, M. D., John Doyle, John J. Maher, John H. Murphy, John McCarthy, James O'Rourke, David O'Brien, Maurice Powers, Timothy Rohan, Thomas E. Smith, M. D., Andrew A. Smith, Fred Welch, George E. Ward, J. H. Flaherty, John J. McNabb, John F. Golden, Frank O'Sullivan, M. D., James E. O'Donnell, George P. Green, John R. Crowley, Charles W. Holmes, Edward J. McCarthy, James O'Flahavan, Walter Fivan, Joseph A. Green, James F. Gaffney, M. D., Joseph Gilley, John J. Keegan, James H. Kelley, Patrick Keyes, William J. Enwright, T. J. Halloran, M. D., J. H. Leary, M.D., Charles L. Morris, John J. Sullivan, James T. O'Hearn, Henry L. Rourke, William B. Ready, Thomas Murphy, Edward P. Saunders, Harry L. Timmons, John J. Walsh, D. D. S., Thomas R. Ratter, Harold E. Plunkett, M. D., Patrick J. Mc[illegible], M. D., John F. Meehan, Cornelius F. [illegible], James J. Brown, Timothy F. McCarthy, James J. Cassidy, M. D., Stephen Kearney, Humphrey [illegible], Florence J. Murphy, Dennis Murphy.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

King Edward goes over to Germany to assure the kaiser that England has nothing but the sincerest friendship for the German emperor and his people

A LIFE SAVING MEASURE.

President Roosevelt has outlined a marine safety measure, which, if made law, will undoubtedly be instrumental in saving many lives at sea. The measure provides for wireless apparatus and operators on certain vessels, for life-boats that can be launched in two minutes, for the proper inspection of all steamer and motor vessels carrying passengers, and of all sailing vessels of 300 tons or over. It provides also that no officer is to be placed in charge of the deck of any vessel who has not been off duty at least four hours before taking such watch. This provision is intended to prevent accidents through over-working certain members of the crew so that they become exhausted and are liable to go to sleep or are otherwise incapable of performing their duties properly. Such a measure cannot fail to be of vast utility in preventing disasters if properly applied to the vessels that carry passengers.

THE LATE JOHN B. MORAN.

The late John B. Moran had a great many friends, political and otherwise, who will sincerely regret his untimely death. Mr. Moran, although severely criticized on his attitude on some public questions, had long been admired as a friend of the masses and one who never lost an opportunity to help aspiring young men with whom he came in contact. It is related of him that he had a stack of promissory notes from young men to whom he advanced money for the purpose of assisting them in an effort to better their condition. It is somewhat of a reflection upon the young men, however, that Mr. Moran himself admitted he could never collect any of this money. The fact that he advanced it in the first place proved the sincerity of his desire to help others. It proved that he was not entirely selfish. He was an aggressive politician, erratic in many points, it is true, but he was handicapped by physical weakness. The work of his campaign for governor weighed heavily upon his health and hastened the progress of the disease which finally caused his death.

IS IT A DOG-IN-THE-MANGER POLICY?

We notice that the American Woolen company sets a very high price upon the Shaw Machine plant, on being questioned by the board of trade as to the amount for which the plant could be purchased. The price set is $150,000, whereas the assessed value is $51,250.

We do not believe that the Shaw plant would sell for its assessed value in the open market at the present time, and hence it appears the American Woolen company sets this high figure upon it, in order to prevent another industry from starting there.

This practically settles one point, to wit: that the American Woolen company will find no purchaser at that price. If the plant be worth that sum to the company, we should expect to see the plant turning out woolen machinery to be shipped to every part of the globe.

The American Woolen company must have some intention of starting business there or it would never ask any such exorbitant price for the plant. Let us hope it will start business without delay. We should hate to believe that this large price is asked in pursuance of a dog-in-the manger policy.

THE CHARITY BOARD.

We are inclined to approve the action of the committee on appropriations in its endeavor to keep down the amount appropriated for the city farm.

If during a panic year when practically all the industries of Lowell curtailed from one-fourth to one-half, either in time or the number of men employed, the demands upon the department were fully and satisfactorily met by $86,000, it would be reasonable to assume that this year the ordinary demands of the department could be taken care of under conservative management for the sum of $70,000.

It is useless to hope for any saving in this department unless through the wise administration and careful management of the charity board.

The record of the board that has been removed is one that has few parallels in the history of our city. It shows to what an extent a number of business men can save money in running a department simply by the exercise of good judgment and by a desire at all times while discharging their full duty to the poor, to protect at the same time the interests of the city.

Not only did the board of charity, recently removed from office, save about $90,000 in three years, but it greatly increased the amount of money derived from the products of the farm.

Following are the amounts expended upon the pauper department from 1897 to 1908 inclusive, the last three years showing the record of the board which Mayor Brown has driven out of office:

1897	105,623.13	1903	145,200.65
1898	108,880.42	1904	124,728.04
1899	114,308.78	1905	117,416.73
1900	112,206.74	1906	96,262.71
1901	121,203.19	1907	81,351.22
1902	127,419.16	1908	86,000.00

The figures for the last three years indicate a remarkable saving as a result of the careful application of business principles. It is a record that the new board will find it difficult to equal. Indeed we are doubtful whether any board can show a better record of economy and wise management under adverse conditions than that which is presented by the figures just quoted.

It might be supposed that the board adopted a very penurious policy towards the worthy poor, but such was not the case. The deserving poor were well taken care of and every dollar was applied to the best advantage in relieving distress. It is a remarkable testimonial to the business ability, not only of the board but its deposed secretary, Mr. Martin J. Courtney.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The second of the Sunday concerts at the opera house will be given next Sunday evening commencing at 6 o'clock and running continuously until 10.30. A bigger and better program will be offered than ever before seen at this house at the prices. All seats will be ten cents.

"THE END OF THE TRAIL"

"The End of the Trail," was seen at the opera house again last night by a good sized audience. The piece deals with life in the southwest, having the old Santa Fe as its locale and presenting picturesque incidents in the development of that region. Sensations are worked into the drama and novelties in the way of scenic equipment, are promised. The last performance of this play here will be given tonight.

YIDDISH PLAYERS

Lovers of drama will have a chance to see acting which is rarely seen during the coming engagement of the Edwin A. Relkin all-star Yiddish company, headed by the most celebrated Yiddish actress Mme. Kenny Lipzin, which makes its appearance at the opera house on Thursday night, Feb. 11, in one of the greatest successes of the Yiddish stage. This play has been presented at one of the prominent theatres in New York City where it had a run of over 300 consecutive nights and scored one of the most successful hits, artistically as well as financially, that was ever known to the Yiddish theatres. The company will be seen in the best Yiddish drama, "Mirele Effros," ("The Jewish Queen Lear") written specially for Mme. Kenny Lipzin by the most eminent Yiddish playwright Mr. Jacob Gordin. Mme. Kenny Lipzin, the leading lady of this company, is the best Yiddish tragedienne of the Jewish stage, one which is rarely seen on any stage.

"THE MAN OF THE HOUR"

Theatregoers who have been reading so much for the past year of "The Man of the Hour" will again have an opportunity of seeing Wm. A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer's production at the opera house on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 12 and 13, with the special company of players and complete scenic production as seen on its former visit.

In the New York Evening Telegram, in the review of "The Man of the Hour," the writer says: "Not since the days of 'The Senator,' has a play been presented with such brilliant promise of success as 'The Man of the Hour.'" The other New York newspapers in their reviews were equally fulsome.

FRANKIE CARPENTER COMPANY

The ever popular Frankie Carpenter company will open a week's engagement of six matinees and six evening performances at the opera house next Monday, Feb. 15, when the opening bill will be "Spangles and the Preacher." All the plays this season have been selected with the same care that has always placed this company in the front rank as refined entertainers who always have the best on the road. High class specialties add much to the performances and are presented between the acts by talented artists. The plays are presented under the personal supervision of Jere Grady which is a guarantee of their excellency, and the company this season is one of the strongest, cleanest, brightest and most popular now traveling. Ladies' tickets opening night 15 cents each if purchased in advance.

VICTOR MOORE

When Geo. M. Cohan puts his nimble brain at work upon a play no one need fear that that wonderful piece of mechanism is going to miscarry. So, when the young author fixed up his latest concoction, labelled it "The Talk of New York," and handed it over to Victor Moore, who will be seen in that particular play at the opera house, Friday, Feb. 19, coming direct from the Tremont theatre, Boston, it is not likely that one in a hundred suffered a thought that it would do otherwise than "go."

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TO MARRY A FRENCH NOBLEMAN

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—An international marriage of importance, that of Miss Elizabeth L. Cochran of Philadelphia and Count Georges de Fermon of France, will take place at the home of the bride on Feb. 16. Miss Cochran's family is wealthy, and the count is one of the best known men in Paris. He is a nephew of Marquis Chapelle and a brother of Charles Fermon, both members of the chamber of deputies.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A good clean moral show within the price of all and a big attraction for the money is what the management of the Academy offers the public at its theatre. The picture show is the latest and almost popular form of entertainment and Messrs Toomey and Demara, managers of the Academy, were among the first in New England to take it up. They have made big success of this line of entertainment in other cities and are bound to repeat their previous successes at the Academy. Through their close acquaintance with all the leading film manufacturers they are enabled to get all the latest and best in motion photography and all the pictures shown at the Academy are new to Lowell while some have made almost their initial appearance in this city. The daily program consists of four reels of pictures including from five to seven complete pictures on varied subjects, two illustrated songs and a series of beautiful and instructive views of the world around us known as "Travelettes." The entire program, pictures, songs and views, is changed three times weekly, Tuesday, Friday and Sunday. The performances run daily with no omissions of program from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 10.30. The price of admission is but 5 cents and an admission includes a good seat while a few orchestra seats are reserved at 5 cents extra, so that the highest priced seat in the theatre is but 10 cents. It is the biggest, newest and best show ever offered in Lowell for the money. There are no "bad" weeks for every program offered is good.

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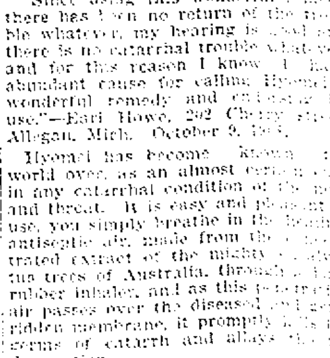

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HATHAWAY THEATRE

Taylor Granville's engrossing melodrama "The Star Bout," on view at Hathaway's theatre, this week, is the biggest kind of a whirlwind success. It enlists the services of nearly 40 persons and has a special cast of 14. It is one of the great big acts of vaudeville today, and it tells the story of a young prize fighter who gets his tryout in the ring and who whips the champion of the world, incidentally learning the girl who is true blue to him. "The Goslin," is the nom de guerre of the little fighter, while "Kid Spangles," is the scrapper who wanted the bout to be crooked. Four fast rounds are pushed through and the "mill" proves highly realistic. Harry Sullivan and Frank Dickson are the two bantam weight fighters, and Tom Ward makes an ideal restaurant keeper with an interest in pugilism. Sara Baron is the real sweet girl, and Maidie Harrison is the girl who has a fondness for fighters when they have the coin.

Lawrence Crane is the second feature act of the bill, and he more than proves his title of "wizard." Nothing more mystifying than his trunk trick has ever been seen here. His illusion of "Cremation" is also wonderfully engrossing. Besides these he has numberless minor tricks which prove that he is a subtle illusionist. He is assisted in his act by May Crawford and the cutest of pickaninnies. Other acts on this bill of distinction are: Josephine Branta, singer; Smith & Smythe, duo of singing comedians; Jessica Lewers and Ada Mitchell, in comedy and music; the Raven Trio, equilibrists; the Daleys, roller skaters, and the Hathascope.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week.

STAR THEATRE

An orchestra composed of the most efficient musicians, including a violinist, has been engaged by the management of the Star theatre, where an entertainment of unusual excellence is given for five cents, which allows seats.

New pictures headed by the talking picture "The Merchant of Venice," were shown today. Tomorrow a new talking picture "In Old Arizona," will be shown.

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It is the aim of every member of a motion picture theatre to offer his patrons a program of the highest quality and at the same time to give them the greatest variety. What pleases one person does not please his neighbor but in the program which they offer today, the management of the Theatre La Scala have one that is criticism proof. Two comedies "A Put Up Job," and "Willie's Water Sprinkler" are sure fire laugh producers and their comedy is bright, clean and novel. "The Nurse's Romance" is a story picture with a new plot, one that holds the attention from start to finish and shows two phases of the feminine character that have not before been shown on the screen. The brawney countryman, handsome and uneducated, the simple country maid whose heart is given to him and the dashing city woman who fascinates and then casts her victim aside form a triangle which results in a thrilling and dramatic story. The songs are great, notibly "If Your Heart Is Right You Can't Do Me a Wrong."

POMONA CLUB

HELD PRETTY PARTY IN PRESCOTT HALL

The Pomona club held a pretty dancing party in Prescott hall last evening, exclusively for members and invited guests, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable of the season. The hall was neatly decorated by Florist Collins. In one corner of the hall a beautiful cosy corner was presided over by the following matrons: Mrs. Thomas F. Gibbons, Mrs. William O'Brien, Mrs. John McArdle and Mrs. J. W. Power. Kittredge's orchestra furnished music for an order of twenty numbers and at intermission refreshments were served by the Page company. The officers were: General manager, Elliott F. Wood; assistant manager, Edward A. Lang; floor director, Bernard F. McArdle; assistant floor director, Howard W. Wood; chief aid, John J. Kelley.

GLADSTONE CLUB

Gave Interesting Boxing Program

The Gladstone club held an exhibition last evening which was an interesting forerunner of the good things to come. Some 200 members turned out at the meeting and they enjoyed a program of five lively sparring bouts. Martin Flaherty, the physical director of the club was master of ceremonies. Joe Costello officiated as referee and Al. Delmont of Boston, bantam weight champion, held the watch. Delmont will appear before the club on February 22, (Washington's Birthday), against the best bantam that can be secured. The program opened with four good rounds by Sullivan and Merrill, Sullivan getting the decision on points. Johnson and Callahan then went at it for four rounds with honors even. Joe Plourde, the wrestler who has recently gone in for boxing, tried them on with Young Kelly, and received a little experience. One round satisfied Joe. Podge Murphy, the Adonis of the local ring went four with Jack O'Hara, and found him a foeman worthy of his mitt for O'Hare showed Podge several little things about the business. The referee called it a draw. The main event was between George Loucroft and Bob Smith who furnished a spirited climax for the exhibition, Loucraft getting the blue ribbon of victory.

The next meeting will be next Tuesday, while a special meeting will be held on Washington's birthday. The gymnasium will soon be fitted up with apparatus and shower baths.

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

NUMEROUS ENTRIES FOR THE GLIDDEN TOUR

Despite the fact that the Glidden tour will not start before July, Frank B. Hower, chairman of the A. A. A. contest board, reports that he has obtained a number of voluntary entries, and he is confident of a larger entry list than has ever graced the famous Glidden tour. Everybody who is interested is trying to find out from Mr. Hower where the tour is going, but he is preserving this as one of his annual secrets.

It will be the sixth annual contest of the American Automobile Association, and there is a scramble from various sections of the country to secure it. In 1904 it went from New York to St. Louis, in 1905 it went to the White Mountains, in 1906 it went from Buffalo to Bretton Woods, in 1907 it went from Cleveland to New York and in 1908 from Buffalo to Saratoga.

The first announcement which was made some months ago was to the effect that it would this year go from Chicago to Denver, but this, according to Mr. Hower, is not authentic. At the same time he refused to divulge the distance or the route over which the great caravan, consisting of probably more than 100 cars, will pass.

Endurance Run

Starting September 15 from Denver, Colo., there will be a run, a flag to flag reliability and endurance contest to the City of Mexico, a distance of 1600 miles. This kind of a contest has never been run before in the history of the industry, and the ground lying between the two cities and the two countries is one which is well adapted by nature and geographical conditions to try out the capabilities of the car, which will enter the event. It is figured by the originators of the event, that ten days will be consumed in making the distance, and the 1600 miles between Pike's Peak and the Alamo will be divided into ten controls, which, taking into consideration the territory, will give even the best drivers in America something to think about.

The principal prize will be a magnificent trophy, which will be made up of valuable and costly metals peculiar to the two countries, and which has been offered for the competition by Motor Field of Denver. This run will be the first one in the history of the motor car industry, in which a reliability, endurance and mileage trophy has ever been offered for the perfect score tire.

Thousands of Road Signs

Powell Evans, chairman of the American Automobile Association's Touring Information Board, is completing arrangements for the manufacture of about 10,000 wooden road signs, which are to be erected during the coming touring season throughout the districts where roads have not been properly posted.

The Touring Information Board has decided, after considerable deliberation, to use wood signs instead of such as have been erected in the past few years. It is found that the small boy has discovered he can get a great deal of amusement by throwing sticks at the enamel signs, which chip off wherever struck. The new form of wooden sign, which is under consideration by the board appears to be absolutely indestructible. It will be bound with metal and tested by a process which makes it not only fireproof but water and weather-proof.

Mr. Evans says that more than 10,000 new signs will be erected by the A. A. A. as soon as they can be prepared and distributed to the centres of touring where they are most needed.

AERONAUTICS

FIRST GRAND PRIX RACE TO BE HELD FROM INDIANAPOLIS

The Aero Club of America in connection with its affiliated aero clubs in the United States will hold its first grand prize race from Indianapolis June 5. This date is chosen, as it is two days after the full moon of that month and the weather bureau advises that on that date a wind from the west may be expected. Such a wind will carry the balloons in a similar direction to the course followed in the international race from St. Louis in 1907. The winner of the contest will be esteemed the national balloon champion of the United States. Only pilots of the Aero Club of America will be allowed to compete. At present there are eighteen of these pilots, and it is probable the number will be increased before the race will be held under the direction of the Indiana Aero club, recently organized, will soon become affiliated with the Aero Club of America.

The contest is limited to balloons of 77,000 cubic feet capacity with a 5 per cent allowance or under and will be conducted according to the rules of the International Aeronautic Federation. The prize will be a gold cup not to exceed $1,000 in value, and it is expected second and third prizes will be offered by organizations in Indianapolis. The entrance fee will be $25, which will be repaid in case the contestant starts, and entries close promptly at noon on May 1 at the Aero club office. It is believed that if a contestant is fortunate enough to catch a current from the southwest the record made by John Wise will be eclipsed and the probabilities are that the contestant would reach the St. Lawrence valley. The weather bureau says this is a possibility. It was originally intended to hold the race in the fall, but in view of the Fulton flight contest to be held in New York next fall it would be impossible to hold the other event at the same time.

The Aero club of St. Louis proposes to hold a balloon race from St. Louis during the week of October 4. This is in connection with the centennial celebration of the incorporation of St. Louis as a municipality. On account of the Fulton flight contest the same week it will be out of the question for the Aero club of America to take official part in the St. Louis contest.

Albert C. Triaca has agreed to give a gold medal of the value of $100 to the Aero club of America to be awarded to the member of that club who makes the longest aeroplane flight as pilot in 1909.

An evening school of applied aeronautics to train men for positions as aerial chauffeurs and aero engineers is now under consideration at the West Side Y. M. C. A. Plans have been completed for an experimental course in aero science beginning February 15, and if the experiment develops sufficient interest in the subject and a demand for thorough instruction, the association will open in the fall, or possibly earlier a school which will deal with aerial navigation. The experiment will take the form of a series of free lectures on aeronautics. The first lecturer will be Winthrop E. Scarritt of the Aero club. Mr. Scarritt will speak on "The Experiences of a Tenderfoot in the Clouds," dealing with his trip over London in a balloon. The second lecture will be on March 1, when Augustus Post will speak on the "Practical Side of Aeronautics." On March 8, Wilbur R. Kimball will discuss the "Practicability of Flight."

TAKES CHALLENGE

MacFARLAND TO MEET THADDEUS ROBL

Floyd A. MacFarland, the lanky six days' race winner, now in Paris, is not the kind of a man to let a challenge go unnoticed. Recently Macfarland said that he could do better in long races than in short, and expressed an opinion that he could hold his own with any rider in Europe in a long distance motor paced race.

Thaddeus Robl, the great German pace follower, thought Macfarland was joking and he therefore issued a public challenge to the American to meet him in a 500 kilometers motor paced race on the winter track at Paris for any sum the American might name.

The long-legged Californian no sooner read Roby's defi than he grabbed his trusty fountain pen and scribbled an acceptance. Macfarland agreed upon the Velodrome d'Hiver as the venue and offered to post 5000 francs ($1000) with Les Sports, the instant Robl should do so. The American stipulated that pacing machines equipped according to the French regulations should be employed, but the German wants German pacing machines. The difference is in the matter of rollers. The French regulations require that the roller be fixed 20 centimeters behind the rear wheel, while the German authorities allow 10 centimeters. This is the only point at issue.

The record for 500 kilometers (310 1-2 miles) is 10 hours 36 minutes 4 2-5 seconds. Macfarland thinks he can cover the distance in 8 hours. Robl holds the world's 6 hours motor paced record, the distance being 358 kilometers 544. Parisian "fans" are bristling with excitement over the proposed match which, if held, will be the longest match race ever decided.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS

As a result of beating Wisconsin the Chicago basketball team looks almost certain to be the western champion again.

Oscar Osthoff, the Wisconsin athlete, is putting the shot nearly fifty feet these days. That looks good for a first in the conference games.

Louisiana State University and Tulane university have crews. A chance for some one to report that they will "enter the Poughkeepsie regatta."

There is likely to be a heated discussion over the place for the I. C. A. A. A. A. games this year. Both Cambridge and Philadelphia have many supporters.

Syracuse will get on the water with the crews on March 1. The training table will start soon thereafter. Both Jim Ten Eycks are coaching the new men.

It is suggested now that a five mile run be added to the intercollegiate games program; but the suggestion involves dropping the hammer-throw which rather coppers it.

When Yale visits the Schuylkill Easter week to prepare for the rowing race with Pennsylvania, the Quakers will let the visitors use the coaching launch Franklin, with Captain Kirk thrown in at that.

James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian school athlete, showed good style as a hurdler in the Boston A. A. games last Saturday. Thorpe hitherto has been regarded chiefly as a high jumper—when not on the football field.

Five games are on the Harvard soccer schedule for March and April: March 10, Cornell at Ithaca; March 20, Princeton at Princeton; March 27, Haverford at Cambridge; April 10, Yale at New Haven and April 14, Columbia at Cambridge.

Coach E. H. Ten Eyck of the University of Wisconsin crews says he does not favor reducing the varsity boat race distance to three miles. He points out that four miles on the tidewater of the Hudson is no worse than three miles on a lake.

Syracuse now has a rule which debars an athlete from taking part in other than a college competition in the academic year. That puts an end to athletic clubs and other such competitions by track athletes, basketball and baseball players.

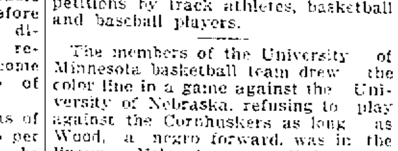
The members of the University of Minnesota basketball team drew the color line in a game against the University of Nebraska, refusing to play against the Cornhuskers as long as Wood, a negro forward, was in the lineup. Nebraska complied under protest and lose the game, 26 to 24.

On Friday, February 5, the Daily Maroon, University of Chicago, predicted Chicago would win a dual indoor meet from Illinois 44 to 42. Saturday, February 6, the Daily Maroon reported the result of the games, 44 to 42. Very fine predicting.

After Yale beat Pennsylvania at basketball a Philadelphian has this to say: "Pennsylvania should have never agreed to Thorp, a Columbia man and Pennsylvania's greatest rival, to referee the game. Thorp may have been square in his rulings, but he has the Columbia style of play in his mind and lets the players hold and rough too much." Not any rougher than this.

Candidates for the Columbia lacrosse team were called out yesterday afternoon for practice in the baseball cage in the gymnasium. The schedule is not complete, but games have been arranged with Cornell, Hobart, Harvard, New York Lacrosse Club, Stevens, C. C. N. Y. and the alumni. A southern trip will be taken on which games will be played with Annapolis and the Mount Washington club. A series of interclass games will be played on South Field with a silver cup as a trophy for the winning class.

After failing to get enough first year men to form a freshman basketball team when the season opened the announcement is made that a team at last has been organized and will complete the schedule of games which had been arranged. Contests will be played with Yale freshmen, Horace Mann School, Peekskill Military Academy, Mackenzie School, Collegiate, De Witt Clinton, Stuyvesant, the New York University freshmen and the Pennsylvania freshmen.



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BASEBALL NOTES

Jimmy Austin, the new infielder of the New York Americans, led the whole country in base stealing last season with 97 steals.

Al Selbach, who played with the New Yorks, Bostons and Washingtons, is to become a magnate. He has obtained an option on the Newark, O., club.

Frank Chance announces that all the differences between him and Charley Murphy have been settled and that he will not only lead the Cubs this year, but for three years in addition.

Noted veterans who have gone back to the minor leagues this year are Seybold, Schreck, McGinnity, Taylor, Collins, Barry, Coughlin, McGann, Pickering, Needham and Courtney.

The Pittsburg club has contracted for 1500 tons of steel for its new grand stand. That's more than is in the polo grounds grand stand, but the Giants reserve most of their steal for the diamond.

The least worried man over the reports that Honus Wagner is going to retire seems to be Barney Dreyfuss. Barney probably feels as does a close friend of Wagner, who says the talk about the Dutchman quitting the game is a joke.

Should the bill introduced in Trenton by Assemblyman Olwell permitting Sunday baseball and other sports become a law it is said that the Philadelphias and Athletics will have grounds in Jersey convenient to Philadelphia and play Sunday games there.

The latest oracular utterance of Clark Griffith is as follows: "The men who make the star ball players are the men who love the game so much that they are looking eagerly forward to the time when spring rolls around and they can get out on the diamond again." Later they look eagerly forward to the time when fall rolls around and they can get off the diamond again.

The latest National league bulletin contains the following: The following contracts and releases have been approved and are hereby promulgated: Contracts—With Boston, J. Chandler Ball, Jake J. Boultes, Frank Bowerman, Wm. F. Dahlen, Claude C. Ritchey, Mike Simon, W. W. Thomas, Thos. Tuckey. With Cincinnati—A. W. Furchner, Harry L. Gasper, Clark C. Griffith, John B. McLean. Releases—By Cincinnati to St. Louis (N. L.), George Ellis. By New York to Milwaukee (A. A.), John C. Barry; to St. Paul (A. A.), Thomas J. Needham; to Charlestown (S. A.), George Paige; to Indianapolis (A. A.), David Scureiber; to Buffalo (E. L.), Luther H. Taylor; and Philadelphia to Jersey City (E. L.), E. E. Courtney.

"John Clarkson never had a superior as a pitcher and never will, "said Fred Pfeffer, who was Chicago's star second baseman under Capt. Anson, the other day. "The Rube Waddells, the Mordecai Browns, the Ed. Walshes and the Christy Mathewsons may come and go and they may tie old John, but none of them will ever stand as his superior. I stood behind him day in and day out and watched his magnificent control, as confident of success, especially in tight places, as I would have been with the United States army behind me. That was Clarkson's long suit. He was master of control. I believe he could put a ball where he wanted it nine times out of ten. He had everything any pitcher ever had as well. His speed was something terrific and he could throw any curve. However, his favorite ball was a drop something like the spitball of today, although he delivered it without the ointment necessary nowadays.

"You must remember that in his day Clarkson had to face that wonderful bunch of hitters of the old Detroit team, when Brouthers, Thompson, Rowe, Ed. Hanlon, Hardy Richardson, Jim White, Dunlap and George Wood were the greatest sluggers on the diamond. Clarkson was their hoodoo. They seldom won a game from him. If I remember rightly John did not lose more than two or three games in all that he pitched against Detroit. I will venture to say that if Clarkson and Kelly, who were the famous battery in 1889, were alive today $50,000 would not buy their releases."

Clarkson, by the way, furnished an amusing incident at Harvard University more than twenty years ago. At that time he was a member of the Chicago team and professional coaches were not allowed at Harvard. Clarkson lived in Cambridge and as he needed early spring practice he used to visit Holmes Field at the invitation of the varsity nine, to pitch against the candidates. The great boxman had shaved off his mustache that year and one day he appeared on the field in a Harvard uniform. As he proceeded to hand up a wonderful assortment of curves a member of the Harvard faculty, who is still at Cambridge, looked him over with evident admiration, after which he went away enthusing over "the new freshman pitcher," as he called him, and he never learned his error.

BOXING GOSSIP

After nearly four months of dodging, Abe Attell, the American featherweight champion, finally has named terms for a match with Jem Driscoll, the wonderful English featherweight, which probably will be accepted immediately. Attell sent a dispatch to New York from New Orleans yesterday to a man who is looking out for his interests to the effect that he would fight Driscoll on February 18 in a ten round bout at 124 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock. Manager Gibson of the Fairmont A. C., who has been red hot after the match for a week, then jumped into the negotiations with a proposition which the men probably will accept.

Charles Harvey, manager of Driscoll, when he learned of Attell's conditions was in no hurry to clinch the match without first consulting Driscoll. Ever since Driscoll arrived in this country he has expressed a strong desire to tackle Attell at 126 pounds, ringside, which is the featherweight limit in England. Attell, however, up to ten days ago insisted that he would not take the clever Briton on unless the latter agreed to scale at 122 pounds, ringside, which is generally accepted as the featherweight limit in this country. But owing to adverse criticism in various parts of the country Attell finally offered to make a match at 124 pounds at 6 o'clock, yet did not express a willingness to fight until some time in March, when for a month past Driscoll constantly declared that he would sail for home on February 20. As the critics continued to accuse Attell of sidestepping Driscoll the former finally concluded to give way by offering the terms quoted above. Driscoll after being consulted by Harvey, probably will sign articles, so that this interesting match will be seen in New York Feb. 18 as scheduled two days before the Briton sails away.

Attell is one of the cleverest boxers in the ring, many say the cleverest, but Driscoll is a marvel too in this respect. Attell is his own manager, however, and he has a reputation for being the shrewdest kind of a match maker. When Driscoll met Marto here in a ten round bout recently Attell's spies were at the ringside and they must have sent back words of encouragement to the American champion, because he lost no time in making concessions. Attell, it is said, always has looked easy to Driscoll since the former boxed two draws with Owen Moran, one of twenty-five rounds and another of twenty-three rounds.

Driscoll thinks he can beat Moran when they met for the featherweight championship of England in a couple of months, and as Moran easily stood off Attell Driscoll naturally believes he can defeat the American. Experts who know boxers when they see them have repeatedly declared that in a ten round bout Driscoll would lose Attell, but that in a twenty-five round mill Attell might prove the master. At any rate a Driscoll-Attell meeting is sure to create more excitement among fight fans than any glove contest that has been decided in the east since the repeal of the Horton law.

Driscoll will have one of the hardest fights of his career, by the way, when he meets Leach Cross in a ten round mill at 135 pounds weigh in at 5 o'clock in the Fairmont A. C. ring tonight. But the wise men were betting 7 to 5 yesterday that Driscoll would defeat Cross and 3 to 1 that Cross would not score a knockout.

Cross said yesterday that he intended to force the issue from the first tap of the gong and that he believed he was fast enough to land a sleep wallop on Driscoll's jaw. Cross argues that he is a faster boxer than Marto and that he will thereto get to Driscoll more easily, in which event the Englishman is bound to be hit hard.

"If he runs into one of Cross' right hand swings," said a Cross camp follower yesterday, "Driscoll will be put away for keeps." But Driscoll is so much like greased lightning on his feet that the ring sharps do not believe Cross will be able to hit him on a vital spot, while they also predict that the Briton will jab Cross to ribbons. If Driscoll can give ten pounds and a beating to Cross he will be hailed as a wonder. If Cross beats the Englishman it will not injure the latter's reputation as a featherweight nor will it lessen the interest in his coming battle with Attell.

Jabez White, the champion lightweight of England, who has just arrived here in search of a match with Battling Nelson, may be matched with Bert Keyes of New York for a ten round go at the Fairmont A. C.

OWEN MORAN

DEFEATED MATTY BALDWIN IN 12 ROUNDS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Owen Moran, the English lightweight, defeated Matty Baldwin of Charlestown in 12 rounds of a one-sided boxing match at the Armory Athletic association last night. Baldwin had no chance to win at any time. Moran had Baldwin bleeding in the second round and closed his right eye in the 8th. Moran let up in the last two rounds and allowed the bout to go the limit before the decision was given.

In the semi-final Ralph Tickle of Providence, R. I., punished young Nixon of Boston so badly in three rounds that the match was stopped and Tickle given the decision.

In the preliminary Kid Manning of Pawtucket, R. I., defeated Eddie Johnson of New York in eight rounds. Johnson showed up well in the first half of the match but Manning improved and made the last round a fast one, securing the decision.

WORLD'S RECORD

WAS BROKEN BY CLARENCE HAMILTON, SKATER

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10. — Clarence Hamilton of Boston, Mass., last night broke the new world's record for one mile on roller skates, made Monday night by J. N. Mason of Newark, N. J. Hamilton reduced Mason's record of 2.19 3-5 to 2.18 3-5.

YALE DEFEATED HARVARD

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Graduates of Yale and Harvard, playing in the second match of the season for the intercollege club chess cup, met on six boards at the Yale club yesterday with the result that the Yale sextet defeated the representatives of the Harvard club by the score of 3 1-2 to 2 1-2.

YOUNG CORBETT

HAD THE BETTER OF THE FIGHT

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—Young Corbett of New York, former lightweight champion of the world, fought six rounds with Mull Bowser of Pittsburg last night at the Waldemeier auditorium. No decision was given, but Young Corbett had decidedly the better of the fight.

PRIZE IS $2,000

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 10.—Allie Moore, champion speed roller skater of the world, sails on the Campania from New York Wednesday for London to compete for a $2000 first prize and the mile championship of the world. Earl Reynolds, secretary of the Professional Skaters' association, who is in this city, made the announcement last night.

POLO CLUBS MEET

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—More than 40 delegates representing the polo clubs throughout the country attended the annual meeting of the Polo Association held here last night. H. L. Herbert was re-elected chairman.

The chief matter of business was the arrangement of the various club tournaments and the national championships. The [illegible] was awarded to the Point Judith country Club of Narragansett from August 1 to 14. Both the [illegible] and [illegible] championships [illegible] one tournament.

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To Extend a Welcome to Taft

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10.—Although the time scheduled for the arrival in this city for President-elect Taft is still many hours off, New Orleans was today already prepared to greet the distinguished visitor who is expected to land Thursday afternoon on his return to the United States from Panama.

Last night a wireless message brought the news of the arrival at the mouth of the river of the scout cruiser Birmingham, which will lie in the offing until the North Carolina and Montana are sighted and will then prepare for the transfer of Mr. Taft who will leave the North Carolina off South Pass and come up the river on the Birmingham.

A heavy thunder storm late yesterday played havoc with many of the decorations and caused some anxiety on the part of those who imagined the storm was also raging in the gulf. The decorations were replaced early today, however, and mariners gave assurances that the North Carolina could not possibly have made such fast speed as to have gotten within the storm area.

CHELMSFORD

Eva Ayotte, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Ayotte of this village, had a narrow escape while coasting in a field off Warren avenue, Sunday afternoon. The sled took the little one out on the ice of a pond hole in which the water is over seven feet deep, and as she got off the sled the ice broke under her, precipitating her into the icy water. Her mother and a neighbor, Mrs. Bennett, rushed to her assistance, but were unable to reach her. The little one was clinging to the ice nearly exhausted when Joan Norris of Lowell, who was attracted by the screams, hastened to the scene and, stripping a board from a fence and by wading out to his armpits, succeeded in rescuing the child, who after a hot bath and restoratives was soon all right again.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Augusta A. Stevens, late of Nashua, in the County of Hillsborough, and State of New Hampshire, deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Tax Commissioner for said Commonwealth.

Whereas Abby D. Greene, appointed administratrix of the estate of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Hillsborough, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court her petition representing that as such administratrix she is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposit and interest in Lowell Institution for Savings, Lowell, and praying that she may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as she shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by delivering a copy of said citation to the Tax Commissioner for said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Flora E. Forrest, late of Belmont, in the County of Belknap, and State of New Hampshire deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Treasurer and Receiver General of said Commonwealth.

Whereas, George S. Forrest, appointed executor of the will of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Belknap, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court his petition representing that as such executor he is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposits in Traders' National Bank, Lowell, and Lowell Institution for Savings, and praying that he may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as he shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

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INFORMATION WANTED.

INFORMATION WANTED regarding Robert, James and Alice Howe, who to [illegible] resided on (Water st.) near Concord st., in this city. [illegible] by their father, James Howe, who would like to locate them, or persons who could enlighten him as to their whereabouts. The parent of the above mentioned persons can be seen at the Washington Tavern. [illegible] formation [illegible] thankfully [illegible]

LOST AND FOUND

CLOTH BAG [illegible] between Appleton Bank and [illegible] Depot. Reward at Sun [illegible]

LADY'S GOLD WATCH [illegible] E. R. G. [illegible] for [illegible] Mrs. H. [illegible] Reward.

POCKETBOOK [illegible] lost between Cross and [illegible] through [illegible] will be rewarded [illegible] office.

A POCKETBOOK [illegible] money lost on Feb. [illegible] Five and Ten Cent [illegible] Return to 74 Fulton [illegible]

LADY'S SMALL OPEN FACED GOLD WATCH [illegible] A. E. F. [illegible] please return to 247 [illegible]

BROWN and WHITE SPANIEL [illegible] in Belvidere. Answers [illegible] Rex. Reward at 34 Lane st. [illegible]

PAIR OF GLASSES lost [illegible] from The Fidler st. to Shaw [illegible] Reward for return to Sun Office.

HELP WANTED

GOOD RELIABLE SALESMAN wanted for complete line of roofing and building paints, established trade and exclusive territory, exceptional opportunity for man of ability. The Garland Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

DRUG CLERK wanted. One with some experience preferred. R. J. Lang, opp. city hall.

FREE—6 handsomely decorated teacups and 6 saucers. S. & H. [illegible] perfume packets. Daniel McDonald, 41 Mead st., Lowell.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

4-ROOM COTTAGE, large shed, barn, room for 400 hens, 3 acres land, no fare, for sale, $1100. [illegible] cottage, shed and barn in Centralville, $1350. J. W. Bruce, 188 Middlesex st.

7 ROOM HOUSE in the Highlands near the car line for sale. Bath and furnace heat. 4000 feet of land. Pantry. An excellent house in a fine locality. Price $2100. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

INVESTMENT PROPERTY in the "Grove" near Agawam st. 3 ten. house and cottage. About 13,000 feet of land. Now renting for $720 a year. A clean property $6600. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

9 ROOM HOUSE in Belvidere. Bath and steam heat. Set tubs. Good location, near electrics. A good buy. $3200. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near Depot.

2 TEN. HOUSE near Coral st., 5 and 7 rooms. Bath. 5000 feet of land. Rents for $360 a year. Price $3400. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

THREE TENEMENT BLOCK FOR SALE in the residential part of Centralville, all modern improvements, large piece of land, rents for $450 a year, always tenanted. A1 repair. Can be bought for a small amount down and remainder in rent. Apply 148 Ennel st. Tel. 2265-13 or 2427-1.

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LADIES—Dr. LaFranco's Compound gives positive relief; powerful combination, used by 200,000 women. Price 25 cents; druggists or by mail. Address La Franco & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

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FURNISHED ROOM in Belvidere, to let, to respectable person. All home comforts and use of telephone. Address J. D., Sun Office.

FRONT ROOM with steam heat, in private family to let. Apply 89 Butterfield st.

TENEMENT OF 7 ROOMS in a two-tenement house in a fine residential section of the Highlands, sunny and pleasant, to let. ½ minute to electrics. Bath. $16 a mo. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

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LARGE FRONT ROOM to let, with private family. Use of telephone and bath. Call 1695-3.

NEWLY FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms to let. Steam heat and electric light. Apply 75 East Merrimack st.

COTTAGE HOUSE of 7 rooms to let. Hardwood doors, cemented cellar, furnace heat and all the latest improvements. Inquire 536 Rogers st.

ROOMS NEWLY RENOVATED and furnished; small tenement to let. New management. Mrs. Hobert, 126 Appleton st.

5 ROOM TENEMENT, clean, sunny, to let, right on Chelmsford st. Every room just been painted and papered. Gas, sewer and water, $10 a month. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

UPPER STORY or a large building on Middlesex st. to let. Excellent place for a carpenter, or carriage shop, or for a painter. $8 a mo. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

FIVE ROOM COTTAGE for sale, hen house, small barn, 1 acre of land, all kinds of fruit. $500. J. W. Bruce, 188 Middlesex st.

SIX ROOM TENEMENT at 38 Mead st. to let, all modern conveniences. Bath, pantry and set tubs. Inquire 38 in rear.

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NICE TENEMENT on Stackpole st. to let; also nice tenement on George st., in Navy Yard, on Lakeview ave., also cottage on Fifth st. Inquire of John McMenamin, 212 Merrimack st.

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TENEMENT—Good and warm, to let at a low rent. Inquire 439 Moody st.

NEARLY NEW APARTMENTS of 4 rooms, pantry, bath, hot water, set tubs, shed, open plumbing, to let, rent reasonable, on Grand st. Apply 331 Middlesex st. Tel. 1379-2.

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FARM WAGON for sale. Is in good condition and will be sold cheap. Inquire 657 Rogers st.

FULL LINE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS including folding bed, chamber sets, matting, stoves and kitchen furniture to be sold before March first. 31 Broadway.

POOL TABLE for sale, at once. No reasonable offer refused. Inquire 120 Charles st.

SQUARE PIANO, stove, refrigerator, 2 show cases, money drawer, paper roll and stand, pung sleigh, for sale. E. C. Harmon, Andover st., North Tewksbury.

ANOTHER LOT SECOND HAND HORSES just arrived, among them a pair of black chunks 2600 lbs., right out of hard work, worth more than a green team, and only cost half as much. One extra good driving horse, five other good horses cheap, and will absolutely be sold in the next four days. Horses clipped by power, $2. 56 Adams st.

TWO POOL TABLES for sale. Inquire 153 Market st. John Billingsley.

CANVAS BED HAMMOCKS for sale, $8 complete. New and second hand tents. Cross Awning & Sign Co., 215 Dutton st.

HOME RANGE for sale. Is a brand new stove. Inquire 536 Rogers st.

BUTTER CHEST for sale, almost new; also a nice meat show case with double windows, to be sold at once at low price. Inquire at Victor Pigeon's, Graniteville, Mass.

A LOT OF SECOND HAND DOORS, windows and lumber for sale. Inquire at the corner of Salem and Common sts.

SHOE STORE FOR SALE—One of the oldest and best known retail shoe stores in Lowell. Owner has been in business since 1887. Poor health, the cause of selling. Apply to Sun Office.

FOUR OR FIVE GOOD RELIABLE HORSES for sale, weighing from 1000 to 1600. Are now being used by Mr. Pike in his business. Call 528 Middlesex st.

SECOND HAND FURNITURE of all kinds, anything you have to sell we will buy and pay more than any other dealer. Send postal and we will call, 667 Middlesex st.

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NEW MERRIMAC HOTEL—American plan. Rates, $2 and $2.50 per day. E. H. Vien, Prop. Opp. City Hall. Rooms, 50c, 75c, $1.00. Rooms by the week, $2.00 and up. Open day and night.

MONUMENTAL AND GRANITE WORKS—We can build any design and save you money. We do our own work, own our stone quarries. Estimates cheerfully given. Hall & Gotham, 522 Middlesex st.

IF RUPTURED Tunny's Improved Support holds rupture. 6 Goward's court, 226 Appleton st., Lowell, Mass.

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS—Razors, scissors and knives sharpened in first-class shape, at Harry Gonzales, 128 Gorham st. Tel. 952-2.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

WANTED

SECOND HAND Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine wanted. Must be cheap for cash. R., Sun Office.

WHEELER and WILSON drop head sewing machine wanted at once. Will pay a good price. A. S. Edwards, 137 Fletcher st. Tel. 1758-3.

STABLE MANURE wanted. Telephone or address, H. W. Foster, Lowell, R. F. D. No. 1.

PAPER NOVELS and other books wanted at Merritt's Book Store, 277 Middlesex st.

50,000 TOBACCO TAGS, Mayo's, Worker, Spear Head, Old Honesty, Master Workman, Horse Shoe and Standard Navy, wanted. 25 cents per 100. Carr's pool room, 38 Gorham st., near post office.

TWO SMALL CHILDREN wanted to care for by the week. Address Mrs. Williams, R. F. D. No. 2, Lowell, Mass.

ONE DOLLAR GETS

Brand new visible Wellington typewriter. Balance to suit. F. M. Linus, 26 Prescott st.

INTERESTING TALK

By Charles Burleigh Before Southwick Textile Club

Charles B. Burleigh of the General Electric Co., addressing the Southwick Textile club as to its relation existing between the textile and electrical industries, said in part:

That the textile and electrical industries are more closely allied than you appreciate is perhaps best evidenced by the fact that the electrical concern, with which I am so fortunate as to be connected, sold during the last 12 months one million dollars worth of electrical machinery to textile industries, while during the same period they purchased a like amount of manufactured textile product.

Notwithstanding this reciprocity which has existed for many years, and the fact that no industries are conducted by a higher grade of intellect, there are no two classes of manufacture in which the personnel of each, with a very few exceptions, is less familiar with the scope, characteristics and limitations of the other.

This may, in part, be explained by the fact that the intricacies of each line are so exacting as to make it almost, if not quite, impossible for any individual to gain prominence in his chosen profession and leave him time enough for the required study of the characteristics of an exceedingly complex industry, the complete knowledge of which is, at best, but incident to his ultimate success.

These conditions have resulted in doing more to retard the more complete electrification of textile establishments than many appreciate, for it is a fact that an improperly installed electrical equipment is a positive detriment.

In the early days of electrical development, the many advantages presented by its adaptation to manufacturing industries led to its careful investigation by the progressive textile manufacturers. At the same time the attractive market presented by the textile industry was an alluring lure for the electric manufacturer which led him to dilate on its many advantages, and his profound ignorance of the conditions to be met and the unfamiliarity of the textile people with electrical matters resulted in the installation, to a limited extent, of the only type of generators and motors at that period available, i. e., direct current apparatus. Apparatus at that period as unfitted for textile work would be a gas engine today in a picker room, or a Leonhard governor on a printing machine.

The experience gained by the textile manufacturer from the use of this apparatus was such as to convince him that the electric drive was totally unsuited for his business, and he so informed his associates until this was generally conceded by textile engineers and manufacturers, to the extent that its extensive introduction was delayed many years.

The advent of multi-phase alternating current, however, made available apparatus, the characteristics of which when properly adapted and installed, offered a panacea for all the drawbacks previously encountered in connection with the use of direct-current apparatus. That the many advantages presented by this class of apparatus is appreciated by the textile industry is evidenced by the extent to which it has been adopted.

During the intervening time a few, and a very few, employes of electric manufacturing concerns, appreciating the mistakes made in the early attempts to electrify textile mills, and also appreciating the fact that this industry presented special problems requiring careful study, specialized on this equipment with the result that it is possible today to install such an electrical equipment in a textile mill as will more nearly approach ideal conditions than is possible in connection with almost any other industry.

The flattering results attained by these few electricians previously mentioned have led the majority to feel that being satisfied that alternating current motors are best adapted to textile mill work, the only other necessary conditions to be met is to determine its size.

Many installations have been made on this basis, and the purchaser never having had other experience with the electric drive and becoming familiar with some advantages over former methods is satisfied, not appreciating that there are many other advantages which would have been available at little, if any, additional expense had he availed himself of and given due weight to the advice and recommendations of one of the few who have made this particular application the subject of special study.

I cannot be accused of tooting my own horn in the foregoing statement, from the fact that while I gave considerable time and study to this subject during the early adaptation of alternating current apparatus to textile work, the last five years have been devoted to other lines.

In the meantime this development has advanced by leaps and bounds, to the extent that a large percentage of my former experience and study is antiquated and out of date.

This calls to mind another condition which is a fact, that no matter how advanced in electrical science a student may be on completing his schooling on the subject, his study can never cease and he must so equip himself as to make his knowledge available for commercial application.

This can be more readily accomplished by allying himself with a large electrical manufacturing concern where the problems are more numerous and diversified than he would be brought in contact with in many years of single effort.

Here also he has the benefit of the argument, discussion and advice of his associates, only by the aid of which can he become well grounded in his chosen line, and he only who has once enjoyed these facilities, and abandoned them to start out in a consulting capacity, can appreciate how quickly he becomes a back number if he divorces himself entirely from his former associates.

I will make a bold statement and one with which I do not expect you to agree.

I will admit it to be poor judgment to ask a barber if you need a haircut, but this is a subject on which you should be qualified to pass judgment without advice, but were I a textile manufacturer, contemplating the equipment of a new mill or an addition to an existing one, I would feel that I was best conserving the interests of my stockholders by selecting the electrical manufacturing concern that had been fortunate enough to have had the broadest experience in this line, and place myself in their hands through my mill engineer.

This seems like pretty radical advice, let us, therefore, discuss the effect.

The electric manufacturer has every reason for wishing to promote the success of this line of business; he will, therefore, permanently injure his business by recommending the electric drive where it is not to the advantage of the customer, for one poor installation will do him more injury than a dozen good ones will counteract.

The lower the cost of the electric drive the more popular it becomes. It is, therefore, more to his interest to effect an economical installation than to the purchaser.

Let a dishonest or inefficient electrician make one installation on this basis and fail to do the purchaser justice, and his jealous competitors would make it impossible for him to profit further in this line. On this basis the purchaser's only care need be in making his original selection, and it is obvious that this should be made with great care.

The fact that many textile installations have been made on the foregoing basis during the last ten years has had more to do with the remarkable textile electrical development than any other one feature, and I have yet to learn of an equipment so installed which has proved unsatisfactory in either cost or operation.

In this somewhat extended preamble I have made reference to certain conditions which may be of interest to discuss: for instance, that direct-current apparatus, as at present developed, is totally unfitted for textile work while alternating current apparatus is ideal. The electric equipment of a textile mill consists of generators, switchboard, indicating and recording instruments, switches, conductors, safety devices, lights and motors.

Let us start with the generators. If they are of the direct current type they are subject to limitations. First, the current supplied must be at a given pressure which cannot be changed.

If our local conditions are such as require that the generator be located at any appreciable distance from the motors to be operated the conductors necessary to deliver the current become so large as to be burdensome, to say nothing of their excessive cost, for the reason that 500 volts is the highest pressure for which it is desirable to design direct-current motors for stationary work.

Being unable to procure 500 volt lamps or reduce or change the voltage of our generator, we must install other low voltage generators for our lighting.

In the event of trouble with either of these generators, neither will do the work of the other. Both generators must be equipped with commutators and brushes, on the perfect functioning of which the continuity of operation is dependent, also due to the fact that direct-current generators are available only of the revolving armature type, in which the total delivered current at maximum pressure is carried by the moving member, they are less reliable than alternating current generators of corresponding capacity.

In the event of extensions and enlargement of the plant involving the erection of additional buildings or the acquiring of additional property covering extended areas, the comparatively low voltage made necessary by the use of direct-current apparatus, prohibits the possibility of supplying the whole property from one central distributing power plant, thus increasing fixed charges as well as doubling the labor account.

On the other hand, the use of alternating current generators permits of the adoption of any voltage which local conditions make desirable and the selected voltage capable of any change at any time.

Let us consider a hypothetical case of a mill requiring a power plant of say 2500 h. p., with the buildings and machinery so located as not to represent any excessive distances.

We should select for this installation alternating current generators, because they are most flexible; of the revolving field type, because the part of the generator which must be carefully insulated for the reason that it carries the maximum current at the maximum voltage, remaining stationary is less liable to break down; three phase, because a three-phase circuit will transmit a given amount of energy over a minimum weight of conductors, and also is best fitted for motor work; sixty cycles, because that frequency is most universally used and is best adapted to both motor and lighting work; 600 volts, because our local conditions are such that our investment in dollars or loss in energy in conductors will not be excessive.

Now if we wish to utilize some 200 h. p. of this plant for lighting we can install transformers of this capacity capable of reducing our voltage to 110 and operate our lights from these same generators.

Now let us suppose we have an excellent opportunity to purchase a piece of property say two miles distant—where it would be desirable to use—say 500 h. p.

We can install transformers of this capacity and raise our 600 volts to —say 2300 volts—transmit it two miles over small inexpensive conductors, and either use it at this pressure or by means of other transformers reduce it to any desired voltage.

It will be seen that the generator voltage in no way limits the distributing voltage which may be anything that local conditions make desirable.

The switchboard and instruments would not present any material differences other than the switches which, for direct current, would be of the open type, while for alternating current would be oil immersed and totally enclosed, less expensive and much safer to handle.

The alternating current conductors at the same voltage would be three-fourths the weight and proportionately lower in cost than the conductors for direct current.

Due to the possibility of utilizing high voltages for transmission lines, distances can be covered at normal conductor cost that would be absolutely prohibitive were direct-current employed.

We now come to the most important item of difference, namely, the motors.

Direct-current motors are, as previously stated, in their present development totally unfitted for textile work.

Direct-current motors being equipped with commutators and brushes make them undesirable from an insurance point of view, and the attention and upkeep required make their use excessively expensive, as well as more or less unreliable.

For the reason that this type of motor requires more or less attention, they must be located in accessible places, thus occupying floor space which could otherwise be utilized for producing machinery, but most important of all, the speed of the direct current motor is largely dependent on the strength of the magnetic field in which its armature rotates.

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If you wish to know what this Flax Seed Emulsion will do, write to the makers and they will send you an order on a local druggist for a regular-size package (not a mere sample) and will pay the druggist themselves for it. This is their free gift, made to let the remedy itself show you what it can do.

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LINCOLN DAY

WILL NOT BE LEGAL HOLIDAY IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—Lincoln Day in New Hampshire will not be a legal holiday, but will be generally observed. The state senate yesterday killed a bill passed by the house of representatives which aimed to make February 12 ten's year a holiday. The senate and house agreed on a resolution asking Governor Quimby to proclaim next Friday a Lincoln Memorial Day throughout the state, the governor issuing the proclamation last night.

SUM OF $63,000

HAS BEEN PAID OUT IN STRIKE BENEFITS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Over $63,000 has been paid out in strike and lockout benefits by the International Brotherhood of Papermakers, Pulp and Sulphite and Mill Workers since its last convention, according to the report of International Secretary J. J. O'Connor before that body yesterday. The brotherhood is still in a strong financial condition, however, declared the secretary.

International President J. T. Casey, of Watertown, N. Y., condemned the conviction of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, and said his organization would stand behind the men until the end.

Various other reports of officers and committees were heard.

The sessions were continued today, when the remaining reports to be heard were presented.

SENATOR KNOX

Right to Seat in Cabinet Questioned

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Much discussion has been aroused over a question raised yesterday as to whether Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania, who has been selected to be secretary of state in the Taft cabinet is eligible under the constitution of the United States to accept the office.

Attention has been called to section VII, article 1 of the constitution, which reads as follows:

"No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States, which shall have been created, or the emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time."

During Mr. Knox's present term as senator, the salaries of all cabinet officers were increased from $8000 to $12,000 a year. As the term of Senator Knox does not expire until March 3, 1911, two years after the time when his name would be sent by Mr. Taft to the senate for confirmation, the question is asked if Mr. Knox will be able constitutionally to accept the state portfolio.

Mr. Knox declined to discuss the question when the matter was brought to his attention last night.

The only precedent recalled in a similar case was that of the late Senator Ransom of North California, who was appointed by President Cleveland to be minister to Mexico, the emoluments of which office were raised while Mr. Ransom was a member of the senate. Under the decision rendered by the comptroller of the treasury it was held that Senator Ransom could not become minister to Mexico.

THE DOG SHOW

RICHARD CROKER AMONG THE PRIZE WINNERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—George J. Gould, Richard Croker, Jr., and Samuel Untermyer were among the more prominent owners of prize winning dogs at the Westminster Kennel club's annual show in Madison Square Garden yesterday. Mr. Gould's pointer dog, "Furlough Capto," took first prize in the novice class and captured the honors in the class for limit pointers under 55 pounds. Mr. Gould's pointer "Furlough Dusterf" was also a prize winner.

Mr. Croker's bull dog, "Broadway" took first prize for bull dogs over 45 pounds, while Samuel Untermyer's famous collie, "Greystone Glorifier" captured five prizes.

GIVES $1,000

FOR ERECTION OF DRINKING FOUNTAIN IN JAPAN

WARREN, Feb. 10.—Dr. John C. Cutter of this town, one of the few foreigners to receive the Order of the Meiji, or Rising Sun, at the hands of the emperor of Japan, provides in his will, filed here yesterday, for the perpetuation of the honor. He stipulates that the fact shall be engraved upon his tombstone, together with the usual mention of the time and place of his birth and death. As a further means of keeping his memory in the minds of Japanese people, his last will provides for a bequest to be forwarded by the Japanese legation at Washington to the mayor and council of Sapparo, in Hokaido, Japan, for the purpose of erecting there a public drinking fountain to his memory.

Harvard college is made the principal beneficiary of his estate, valued at about $50,000 although the entire bequest to that institution is to be held in trust for other purposes.

BOSTON CLUB

CHALLENGED QUINCY CLUB TO SERIES OF RACES

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Chairman Bryan S. Permar of the Boston Yacht club, yesterday formally challenged the Quincy Yacht club to race a series for the Quincy challenge cup, the challenging yacht, which will be of the Sonderklasse, to be named later.

The challenge is the first made this season but in view of the number of boats for this class which will probably be built for the international races with the Germans next summer it is expected many other clubs will also compete.

The Quincy cup is a perpetual challenge cup given by the Quincy Yacht club in 1898, to promote small yacht racing.

MORE ASSOCIATE JUSTICES

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—The house of representatives yesterday passed a bill increasing the number of associate justices in the superior court from four to five.

The sum of $40,000 for Dartmouth college was appropriated.

NEW MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATIONS

Water Power Development Co., Boston; to deal in water power devices of all kinds; capital, $50,000. President and treasurer, Richard F. Barry, No. 141 Milk street, Boston; clerk, Howard C. Fisher, No. 19 Congress street, West Roxbury.

Charles E. Gibson Co., Boston; real estate business; capital, $400,000. President, Charles E. Gibson; treasurer, James S. Gibson, clerk; Charles W. Brown, all of No. 131 State street, Boston.

Worcester Syndicate, Inc., Worcester; general farming and stock raising; capital, $25,000. President, Jerome R. George; treasurer and clerk, Willard A. Winn, both of Worcester.

Staten Co., Melrose; contracting and building; capital, $5000. President and treasurer, Fred N. Staten, Melrose; clerk, Daniel C. Fisher, No. 409 Franklin street, Boston.

Libbie Printing Co., Boston; general printing and publishing; capital, $24,000. President and clerk, Charles F. Libbie, No. 187 Neponset avenue; treasurer, James F. Murphy, No. 18 Rosemont street, both of Dorchester.

DeMeritte School, Inc., Boston; carry on a school in all its branches; capital, $50,000. President, Florence DeMeritte; treasurer and clerk, Edwin DeMeritte, both of No. 78 Bellevue street, Boston.

U. S. Grant Cole, Inc., Boston; general restaurant business; capital, $50,000. President and clerk, Charles W. Lavers; treasurer, U. S. Grant Cole, both of Boston.

Boston Plastic Art Co., Boston; manufacture and sell statuary and art objects of all kinds; capital, $50,000. President and treasurer, A. Morris Greenblatt, Boston; clerk, Minnie Cohern, East Boston.

Hawkridge Bros. Co., Boston; to deal in iron, steel and other metals; capital, $500,000. President, Edwin Hawkridge; treasurer, John F. Hawkridge; clerk, Joseph C. Clapp, all of No. 333 Congress street, Boston.

NOVEL CHARTER

Passed for the City of Claremont

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—The action of the state house of representatives in passing, yesterday, the bill providing for a city charter for Claremont, is believed to assure a system of government in that city unique among the governments in New England. Up to the last election, Claremont was the largest town in the state, but at that time the citizens voted to adopt a city government and charter.

Under the provisions of the charter the usual ward lines are eliminated and officers are elected without regard to the section of the city in which they reside. Non-partisan politics will obtain, in the election of the mayor and nine councilmen, in whom the city government will be vested. The latter serve without pay. The mayor is given the power of appointing to office several municipal officers who are usually elected by the people. Some of these officers, likewise will have under their supervision the work of customary distinct departments and have the appointive power over them. Provision is made for the removal of the mayor by the city council in case of any abuse of his responsibilities.

LIFE SENTENCE

Imposed on Defendants in Murder Trials

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Two murder trials in Connecticut ended yesterday with the imposition of the life sentence in each instance. John Corsak, a Pole, who killed a companion and threw the body in the water at Milford, and John Bogardus, an enlisted man of the coast artillery, stationed at Fort Trumbull, who, with robbery as the motive, killed Dyer Copeland, a farmer, at New London, were the men sentenced. Two murder trials also started yesterday in the state courts.

YACHT CLUB OFFICERS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—The Eastern Yacht club at its annual meeting at the Algonquin club last night elected the following officers:

Commodore, Washington B. Thomas; vice-commodore, F. Lewis Clark; rear commodore, Robert W. Emmons; secretary, Henry Taggard; treasurer, Patrick Jackson.

Louis M. Clark and William Carlton succeeded Henry S. A. Moors and A. Appleton Packard on the executive committee.

It was decided to adopt the rules of the Atlantic Coast conference.

Stop Women And Consider

This Fact—that in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman—a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers twenty-five years.

The present Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, was for years under her direction, and has ever since her decease continued to advise women.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty causes them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probable examinations of even their family physician. Such questioning and examination is unnecessary. Without cost you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

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Out of the vast volume of experience which Mrs. Pinkham has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge needed in your case. She asks nothing in return except your good will, and her advice has helped thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, should be glad to take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. Address Mrs. Pinkham, care of Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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CHINESE APPEAL

Ask President to Give Them Same Rights as Japanese

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.—In a telegraphic communication addressed to President Roosevelt and sent yesterday by the Consolidated Benevolent association, better known as the Chinese Six Companies, the attention of the president is called to certain instances where it is affirmed the executive department sought for the Japanese residents of California many rights and privileges that the Chinese have long been denied. The message in part was:

"In view of the commendable and just efforts recently made by you on behalf of the Japanese in regard to certain laws lately proposed and at the present time partly adopted by the legislature of California, now convened at Sacramento, we, the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association, representing the whole Chinese people of the United States feel justified in respectfully calling your attention to certain conditions pertaining to the Chinese, both citizens and aliens, in this country, which are in direct and flagrant conflict with the sentiment expressed by you, both lately and hereafter relative to the Japanese. We also feel it our duty toward those whom we represent respectfully to propound to you certain questions which are of the most vital interest to the Chinese residents of the United States, and answers to which we respectfully but earnestly request. These things we do with all due regard to the dignity of the executive department of the United States and also in the belief that you having so unqualifiedly expressed your views in favor of the Japanese cannot fail to render the same justice to the Chinese when the facts have been laid before the country. We beg leave to refer you, Mr. President, to the fact that there is a discrimination in favor of Japanese aliens as against Chinese citizens, residents and privileged classes of this country.

"Such a discrimination is very apparent from the fact that the department of commerce and labor, governed by the policy of your administration, imposes upon the citizens of Chinese descent domiciled Chinese merchants, their families, the privileged classes of Chinese under the treaty, every conceivable embarrassment which is in no way suffered by the Japanese.

"We appeal to you, Mr. President, to right the wrongs suffered by the Chinese of Reno, state of Nevada, whose property, without due process of law, was destroyed and the occupants turned out in the street homeless and destitute.

"We ask of you to exert a strong protest against the present school laws of California, which discriminate against Chinese children whether citizens or aliens, and we respectfully ask you to assist us in taking these laws into the courts to test their constitutionality, as you have stated you will do regarding any law which may become such, affecting Japanese children.

"It is a well known fact that inspectors of immigration throughout the United States where Chinese are concerned, are violating every letter of the fourth amendment to the constitution of the United States. Chinese are arrested, searched and their papers, the only means by which they may be identified and saved from the humiliation of arrest and deportation, confiscated. Is there no remedy to protect these people from such flagrant injustices?"

The memorial cites various alleged abuses that are charged to the United States immigration officers.

"It is a well known fact," it cites, "that under your administration the immigration inspectors treat the Chinese en route to the east from San Francisco as if they were escaping criminals."

It is pointed out that domiciled Chinese applying for admission to the United States are held in communicado while their right to enter is investigated; that Chinese homes are invaded by immigrant inspectors without fear of reprimand; that Chinese are dragged from their hearths, confined in prison without bail, denied the advice of counsel and even refused the right to consult their own medical advisers. Other alleged abuses are described, and the memorial suggests that the immigration officers are merely obeying the departmental rules and regulations.

President Roosevelt is asked to recommend to congress the enactment of laws eliminating from jurisprudence the "pernicious doctrine laid down by the supreme court of the United States versus Ju Toy, 198 U. S. 253."

The memorial concludes:—

"The cause and effect which prompts our call to you for justice lies near your hand. Knowing your sense of justice to all people of whatever nation, class or condition, we confidently appeal to you, Mr. President, to right the wrongs suffered by native-born citizens and the subjects of the great empire which since our existence as a nation has ever been a firm and good friend of this great nation."

The memorial is signed for the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association by Ng Nom, secretary, and O. P. Stidger, general counsel.

COURSE OF LECTURES

John Whitehead, A. M., Th. B., of Boston, the well-known lecturer, will give a course of three free lectures in Middlesex hall, every Thursday evening during February. His subject will be "The Psychical Phenomena of the Bible." This course of lectures has received very favorable mention in Boston. The lecturer brings to bear on the subject the modern developments and investigations of psychical research. He will unfold the nature of these phenomena, explaining how they take place, and showing their bearing on the psychical phenomena of the Bible. The facts bearing on the problem will be given, and the rational steps will be shown by which the life after death is proved.

Mr. Whitehead was formerly president of Urbana university, Urbana, O. He is also a writer of some note, and for the past four years has been engaged in the lecture field.

The New Orleans Times Democrat of Jan. 17th makes the following reference to Mr. Whitehead's lectures in its Boston correspondence:

"Rev. Dr. John Whitehead, of whom I have before spoken as giving courses of Sunday afternoon lectures on the teachings of Swedenborg, is one of the most able, luminous and brilliant expositors of the new church. He is a scientific thinker, familiar with all modern advance, and to learning he adds a singular force and clearness in spiritual thought and a charm of manner in his address, which are among the most interesting and important events of the Boston winter."

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Children's Gowns, sizes 2 to 14 years.....25c, 39c 50c each
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Misses' Skirts, lengths 23 to 29 inch.....25c, 39c, 50c each
Misses' Skirts, lengths 32 to 36 inch.....50c, 75c, $1 each
Children's Drawers, sizes 0 to 8.....7c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 29c pair

Here you can buy well made, perfect fitting garments at less than cost of materials.

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Mix two ounces of Glycerine with a half-ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and a half-pint of straight Whisky. Shake well, and take in doses of a teaspoonful every four hours. This mixture possesses the healing, healthful properties of the Pines, and will break a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable. In having this formula put up, be sure that your druggist uses the genuine Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure, prepared and guaranteed only by the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.

COMMON COUNCIL

Refers Coburn Lot Matter to Committee

The common council met in regular session last night and held a short and rather unimportant meeting.

President Qua called to order at 8.15 with 18 members present.

The annual reports of the board of health, fire department and monthly report of the city messenger were ordered on file.

Petition of Capt. Gardner W. Pearson of Co. C for reimbursement from city of $40.53, money expended for long distance range shooting at Walnut Hill, there being no long distance range in this immediate vicinity. This matter was ordered to the committee on claims, as were petitions for personal injuries.

An order transferring the playgrounds or yards connected with schools from the lands and buildings department to the park department was voted.

John order relative to department transfers was adopted in concurrence with board of aldermen.

The Lowell board of trade was given leave to withdraw its petition for the purchase of the Coburn property by the board of aldermen, and the matter was before the council for consideration.

Councilman Wilder wanted to know why the petitioners were given leave to withdraw.

Councilman Jodoin said that with accrued interest and loss of taxation, the city would have paid at the end of ten years $28,000 for the property.

Councilman Wilde moved that the matter be referred to a joint special committee, and it was so voted by a vote of 12 to 10.

Councilman Welch having voted in minority, moved notice of reconsideration at the next meeting.

IRISH QUESTION

DISCUSSED BY THE ELIOT CLUB LAST NIGHT

The John Eliot Literary club met last evening at the hospitable residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horne of Westford street and considered the question of Irish Home Rule, the principal speaker being Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Mr. Artemus Holden of Nashua read a paper on Charles Stewart Parnell, while another on the Home Rule movement was read by Dana W. Stockbridge. There were numerous Irish readings by John E. Graham and songs by James E. Donnelly, John J. Kelty presiding at the piano. The program concluded with a discussion of the Irish league convention in Dublin by Rev. Mr. Bigelow. Refreshments and a social hour followed.

The next meeting of the club will be held on March 16 at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. VanDuersen of 30 Bellevue street. The evening will be given over to an Irish costume party, and the members of the club will appear in dress representing the various periods of Ireland's greatness.

DIV. 11 A. O. H.

ELECTED OFFICERS TO TAKE CHARGE OF SOCIAL

The regular meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall, and considerable business of importance was transacted. The following officers were elected to take charge of the social to be held in Hibernian hall on Feb. 19: General manager, Michael Connolly; assistant general manager, Patrick Hickey; floor director, Michael M. Quealey; assistant floor director, John F. Duggan; chief aid, Joseph M. Melloy; chairman of reception committee, John H. Hickey; chairman of general committee, John Laity; secretary, William Nelson.

BASKETBALL AT Y. M. C. A.

Thursday evening the Newton Y. M. C. A. first team will play the Brownies, the local first team, at the Young Men's Christian association. The Newton boys are now counted the fastest Y. M. C. A. team in the state, having defeated on their own floor both Haverhill and Boston. The Brownies have never been defeated on their home floor this year.

The Musketaquids will play the Employed Boys' team. A large number of the Musketaquids are expected to "root" for their team. It will be an exciting game.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Cotton futures opened steady. Feb. 9.55 bid; March 9.64; May 9.56; July 9.52; Aug. 9.41 bid; Oct. 9.24; Dec. 9.29; Jan. 9.27.

THE BURKES WON

Took Two Points From St. John's Team

The Burkes and St. John's of the Catholic league met on the Crescent alleys last night and the former team won two of the three points.

Two games were played in the Corporation league. In one of the games the Boott team defeated the Massachusetts team and in the other game the Lawrence team defeated the Hamiltons by a narrow margin. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE

Burkes—Wynne 292, Higgins 289, Duggan 266, Gleason 262, McCormack 269, total 1378.

St. John's—F. Kinch 234, Larkin 255, Duffey 262, D. Kinch 265, Walker 268, total 1284.

CORPORATION LEAGUE

Boott—Abbott 253, Kirby 268, Gunson 256, Luce 255, Weatherby 293, total 1355.

Massachusetts—Bicknell 261, Cove 223, Kennedy 211, Preble 245, Moran 263, total 1203.

Lawrence—W. A. S. 249, Climax 278, Robbins 260, Butters 246, Childs 257, total 1286.

Hamilton—Johnson 263, Hovey 245, Marshall 273, Gould 251, Dodge 246, total 1278.

CUDAHY PACKING COMPANY

Lowell—White 201, Aiken 270, Johnson 263, Guthrie 237, Murphy 251, total 1222.

Lawrence—McCarthy 258, Stacey 222, Johnson 220, Sub 226, Wagner 219, total 1140.

EMPIRES WON

Empires—Dayton 262, Kelley 266, Levesque 292, Jordan 266, Frappier 257, total 1344.

M. S. S. C.—Charles 248, Elmore 238, White 254, Blake 260, Davis 289, total 1289.

ROYALS DEFEATED

L. O. P.—J. Choquette 254, Mahoney 280, F. Choquette 258, Connolly 300, Shepard 261, total 1351.

Royals—Walsh 267, Courtois 252, Cummings 245, Frenchette 252, Buckley 271, total 1287.

260 SOLDIERS

SAID TO HAVE BEEN LANDED AT TUMBEZ

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Feb. 10.—Considerable excitement has been caused here by the news that the Peruvian gunboat Lima recently arrived at Tumbez, which lies close to the coast near the Ecuadorean border, had landed a military commission with 260 well equipped soldiers. It is believed here that the intention of the commission is to study and prepare plans of the frontier.

The three Japanese who were captured two weeks ago near the Peruvian frontier and brought here by soldiers are still in prison.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Charles H. Fisher, a member of the city's board of finance, committed suicide at his home, 1138 Townsend street, last night, by taking carbolic acid. Worry over an investigation of his board is thought to have temporarily unbalanced his mind.

This Backache Recipe Will Also Cure Kidney Trouble

To make up enough of the "Dandelion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore, weak bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties before you realize it. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after awhile.

ARREST WOMAN

ON CHARGE OF LARCENY OF $2,500

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Hattie E. Roy, aged 48 years, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., was arrested at the North station last night as she stepped from a train from the North, as a fugitive from justice, the police stating she is wanted in St. Johnsbury on the charge of the larceny of $2500 from J. L. Peck, a boarder in her home.

ON LINCOLN

REV. MR. WATERS READS PAPER AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

Rev. Wilson Waters of Chelmsford read an interesting and scholarly paper on Lincoln before the members of the Educational club, yesterday afternoon. Several members of the club also read papers.

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Sale No. 1

A SALE OF RUGS AND ART SQUARES

(SEE WINDOW DISPLAY)

THURSDAY MORNING, in our Basement salesroom we place on sale a large purchase of BIGELOW AXMINSTER RUGS, in all sizes from 18x36 inches to 9x12 feet, from the Bigelow Carpet Co., of this city. In buying these Rugs, which will be sold at a TREMENDOUS REDUCTION, you also help a local industry—LOWELL RUGS, MADE BY LOWELL PEOPLE. These Rugs were sold to us with the understanding that they were slightly mismatched, but we find in looking them over that it is hardly noticeable. Extra salespeople to serve you.

18x36 Axminster Rugs, former price $1.25, now at 79c
30x60 Axminster Rugs, former price $3.50, now at.....$1.95
36x72 Axminster Rugs, former price $4.00, now at.....$2.95
36x72 Axminster Rugs, former price $4.50, now at $3.29
36x63 Arlington Rugs, former price $7.50, now at.....$4.50

6-9x9—7-6x9—7-6x10-6—8-3x10-6—Axminster Rugs, former prices from $12 to $25 will be sold at.....$7.50 to $16.95
9x10-6—9x11-6—9x12—Axminster Rugs, former prices from $25 to $32, will now be sold at.....$12.95 to $19.95
8-3x10-6 Arlington Rugs, former price $35, now at .....$22.50 In handsome shade of old rose.

In taking inventory last January, HODGES FIBRE CARPET CO. of New York City found at its mills about 700 DRUMMERS' SAMPLES and ART SQUARES in seconds. It immediately notified us and we had them shipped to us at once. Those who did not get any at our last sale will be able to secure some at this sale.

Size 36x36 All Bound Carpet Pieces, will make good rugs, real value 50c, for 19c
Size 36x72 All Bound Carpet Pieces, will make good rugs, real value 98c, for 39c
Size 36x108 All Bound 1-2 of Art Squares, extra heavy, real value $2.50, for 79c
Size 36x108 All Bound 1-2 of Art Squares, extra heavy wool, real value $4.00, for $1.25
9x12 Fiber Art Squares, real value $12, for.....$6.95
9x12 Fiber Art Squares, real value $9, for.....$4.95
7-6x10-6 Fiber Art Squares, real value $7.50, for $3.95

Sale No. 2

A Sale of Fine Hand-Loom Embroideries

(SEE WINDOW DISPLAY)

THURSDAY MORNING, on our main floor, the greatest sale of Embroideries Lowell has ever known starts here. A large embroidery importing firm of New York City has sent us these sample pieces of fine hand-loom Flouncings at ONE-HALF their real value. Never has any house offered such Embroidery Bargains as those which follow. Extra salespeople to serve you.

Hand-loom Swiss and Batiste Insertions, real value 39c, in this sale 19c
Swiss and Batiste Insertions and Edges to match, real value 50c, in this sale 29c
Swiss Bandings, fine dainty patterns, real value 75c, in this sale 39c
Beautiful Hand-loom Flouncings, 18 to 27 inch, real value $1.00 and $1.25 a yard, in this sale 69c
Handsome Patterns Hand-loom Flouncings, 45 inch, real value $2.00 a yard, in this sale $1.00

Our Apron Sale Is the Talk of the Town

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Large Plain Lawn Aprons, regular price 19c, in this sale.....10c
Large Gingham Aprons, regular price 20c, in this sale.....15c
Large Gingham Aprons, full size, regular price 25c, this sale.....19c
Large Gingham Aprons, with yoke, regular price 29c, in this sale 19c
Large Percale Aprons, with band or yoke, regular price 29c, in this sale 19c
Black Sateen Aprons, regular price 25c, in this sale 19c
Large Gingham Aprons, with sleeves, regular price 50c, in this sale 39c
Nurses' Brielle Aprons, 72 inches, regular price 50c, in this sale 39c
Large Chambray Aprons, with sleeves, regular price 75c, in this sale 50c
Dotted Swiss Tea Aprons, worth 25c, in this sale..... 15c
Cross Bar Muslin Aprons, worth 39c, in this sale.....19c

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z6.27	7.41	7.55	8.55
s6.44	7.53	8.15	9.01
6.49	7.30	9.00	9.35
7.01	8.00	10.00	10.37
7.32	8.05	10.21	11.34
s7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.56
8.55	9.40	1.00	1.37
b9.27	10.55	2.00	3.02
9.38	10.19	3.00	3.37
10.45	11.40	b3.51	6.02
11.36	12.20	s4.14	5.37
12.12	1.00	5.00	5.37
1.46	2.30	b5.21	6.23
2.41	3.33	6.38	6.28
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.05
4.38	5.50	s6.14	7.30
5.20	6.15	7.30	8.05
6.10	7.13	8.30	9.05
6.28	7.10	10.30	11.34
7.52	8.35	11.25	12.16

WESTERN DIV. To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.50	7.55	z7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	9.25	10.35
9.50	10.50	10.55	11.52
10.50	11.55	11.50	12.53
12.00	1.05	2.15	3.21
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.23	5.23	4.59	5.56
5.06	6.12	6.02	7.05
7.00	8.00	6.35	7.45
9.35	10.38	9.35	10.31
		*11.25	12.21

*Runs to Lowell Saturdays only.
z Via Lawrence Junction.
b Via Bedford.
s Via Salem Jct.
x Via Wilmington Junction.

SUNDAY TRAINS
SOUTHERN DIVISION

6.48	7.36	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.48	9.49	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.57
10.30	11.38	5.00	6.02
2.25	3.27	7.30	8.05
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.06
6.28	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.35	10.29	11.35

SUNDAY TRAINS
WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	9.24	8.00	9.06
12.16	1.16	12.00	1.00
3.50	6.00	2.15	3.23
6.45	7.00	3.30	4.00
8.50	10.02	5.20	6.36
		8.40	9.42

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

It was pretty tough walking today.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

The sidewalks are in quite bad shape today.

The storm did not interfere with the schedule on the B. & N. road.

The street railway men hold forth in Associate hall tonight.

The no-school signal sounded this morning, and there was no session of the schools.

The B. & N. Street Railway Men's annual concert and ball will be held in Associate hall, Thursday night. At the conclusion of the affair special cars will leave for all suburban towns.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned take this means of conveying to their friends and neighbors their heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended them in the hour of their sorrow, in the death of their beloved husband and father, the late Martin Reidy; and to those who surrounded the bier with beautiful floral tributes. They will ever hold them all in grateful remembrance.

Mrs. Grace Reidy and family.

THE MATHEWS

APPOINTED A NEW HALL COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT

The Mathew Temperance Institute met in regular session last night. There was a large attendance. Three propositions for membership were received and two new members were admitted. A new hall committee to serve one year was appointed by the president. Those named on the committee are: James J. Gallagher, president; George R. O'Neil, Peter F. Brady, John E. Sullivan and James F. Rourke.

Theatre La Scala
Today Willie's Water Sprinkler
A Put Up Job
The Nurse's Romance
A Living Wreck
"If Your Heart is Right You Can't Do Me a Wrong," is worth hearing.
TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

Psychical Phenomena, or PROOFS OF LIFE AFTER DEATH. Free lectures by Rev. John Whitehead, A. M., Th. B. Feb. 10—The Psychical Phenomena of the Bible. Were they hallucinations or realities? 3 p. m., Middlesex Hall, 20 Palmer and 95 Middle streets, Lowell. The lectures are supported by voluntary contributions. Questions invited. Public cordially invited

FREE MUSICALE

At Women's Branch of People's Club, Runels Building,

Wednesday, Feb. 10, 7.45 p. m.

Direction Mr. Wilfred Kershaw. Artists—Mr. Harry Needham, bass; Mr. Harry A. Hopkins, tenor; Miss Ella M. Chase, pianist; and a reader. All invited.

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Merrimack Street Opposite City Hall
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ASSOCIATE HALL
THURSDAY EVE., Feb. 11, 1909
Concert 8 to 9—Dancing 9 to 1
Tickets Admitting Gentleman and Lady, 50 Cents
Kittredge's orchestra. Cars leave for all suburban towns after the dance.

HATHAWAY'S
Matinees at 2.30 Week of Feb. 8 Evenings at 8.15
THE STAR BOUT
Taylor Granville's One-Act Romance of the Prize Ring
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JOSEPHINE BRANTA
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CHARGES MADE

Against Officer Killoy by Members of Boys' Club

Hearing Before the Police Board —The Officer Charged With Assault— Minor Licenses Granted

Patrolman William H. Killoy, who patrols Concord street and vicinity on the early night shift, was given a hearing before the board of police last night on charges of alleged assault on Daniel Rourke, aged 19 years, using profane language and conduct unbecoming an officer.

Prior to the hearing a public session was held in the office of the board and it was while this session was in progress that Mayor George H. Brown put in an appearance, but it was a case of "he walked right in, turned right round, and walked right out again" for "nary a word he said to the board and the same they said to him."

It was 8.10 when the mayor arrived and wholly ignoring the board, approached Clerk Flaherty and asked to have a look at the specifications in the Killoy case. The papers were handed to him and after glancing them through he took a look around the room and then quietly walked out.

The room and the corridor were filled with people at the time the mayor put in an appearance and it was expected that there would be some fireworks, but those who were eager to witness a pyrotechnic display were disappointed.

While discussing an alleged violation at a coffee house in Suffolk street counsel for the coffee house made several insinuating remarks which were quickly taken up by Commissioner Boulger, the latter stating that he for one would not stand for any sarcastic remarks for which there was no foundation.

The hearing in the Killoy case was opened in the police court room at nine o'clock.

The text of the charges was as follows: That on January 27, 1909 Patrolman Killoy used coarse and profane language, was guilty of assault and battery, and conduct unbecoming an officer; that the profane language was his saying to the complainant: "You are a—— fool;" that the officer struck the complanant and knocked him down twice and threatened to take a chance and kick complainant through a window.

Daniel Rourke, the complainant, was the first witness called. He said that he was 19 years of age and resided at 262 Fayette street, knows Patrolman Killoy and is a member of the Belvidere athletic club. Witness said that on one occasion the officer called at the club house and in conversation asked if the place was being used as a den or a hiding place.

Continuing witness said: "On the night of the 27th of January some boys were using the club, and as I was leaving the place Patrolman Killoy said "Get back in there, I want to talk with you." "I went back and he said "What are you doing with all those kids in there?" I told him that I had nothing to do with them.

"I told him that I was not in a hurry but wanted to get out. With that he closed his fist and struck me over the eye. He struck me a second time, this time on the other eye, and I went down to the floor. When I was getting up he struck me again. He then struck me with his mitts. I said to him, 'What do you think I am?' and he said 'I will show you what you are. I will take a chance and kick you out of a window.' I heard him call a fellow in the place a —— fool and saw him kick Richard Corbett."

Cross-examined witness said that he did not like Patrolman Killoy and acknowledged that the officer had caught him and several other young men playing cards down near the river and had put a stop to their playing. Witness denied that he had participated in any crap games at the clubhouse. Witness said that the officer said he had no objection to the club if it was conducted in a quiet and orderly manner.

William Niland, 14 years, of 1 Concord place, said he was at the club on the night of the alleged assault. Patrolman Killoy called at the place and after holding some conversation with Rourke, said to Rourke, "If you don't sit down I will knock you down" and with that the officer hit Rourke and knocked him down. Subsequent to that the officer struck Rourke twice and said he was too fresh. Witness added that Patrolman Killoy used profane language.

On cross-examination witness said that he and some younger boys took the club from the older boys, but gave the latter the right to frequent the place as they owned the furniture.

Niland said that he had played pitch for quite a while. He said that he and the other kids played on the river bank during the day time while the big fellows played at night, but the latter would not allow the kids into the game. Witness said that his reason for leaving the club was because he had contracted a cold, boxing. He said that the place was closed at 9.30 o'clock at night, because that was one of the rules in the book.

Robert Mullin, 14 years, of 76 Andover street corroborated the testimony offered by the preceding witness and said that after the officer had taken the names of the different boys there he told them to go out and not come back. Witness said that none of the gang liked the officer because he chased them away from the corners and they said they would like to have him taken off the beat. He said he had the gloves on the second night and that the experience he had that night was sufficient for him.

Edward Teague, 15 years, also a member of the club, saw the officer "soak" Rourke. He said that the club is still in existence but they intend to cut it out this week as they cannot afford to pay the rent.

Shortly before eleven o'clock the hearing was adjourned till Friday night, Feb. 19.

Minor Licenses

The following minor licenses were granted:

Hawker and peddler—Martin F. Connolly, Collinsville; William H. Noyes, 100 Fremont street; Annie Gavaghan, rear 211 Lakeview avenue; Samuel Levenson, 45 Lincoln street; Wiggin Bros., Dracut; Oliva Fournier, 13 Aiken street; Joseph Ledue, 146 Aiken avenue; Alphonse Lantagne, 36 rear 20 Dodge street; Fred H. Wolfe, 11 Cady street; William Boissoneault, 499 Moody street, rear 8; Charles Shapiro, 18 Daly street; Thomas Boissoneault, Jr., 3 Marin place, Moody street; Peter E. McNulty, East Chelmsford.

Common victuallers—Robert Buchan, 99 Adams street; Malkon V. Topolian, 99 Gorham street; Harry Swartz, 580 Middlesex street; Athanasios Metropoulos, 374 Market street; Napoleon Starnaud, 197 Aiken street; Annie Calnin, 933 Central street; Daniel P. Henry, 725 Central street; Abbie F. Rourke, 32 Fifth avenue; Amedee F. Lalmise, 475 Moody street; Nicholas Paparos, 23 Thorndike street; James Georgeopoulos, 420 Suffolk street; Margaret Babcock, 45 John street; William Moran, 122 South street; William L. Smith, 505 Rogers street; Margaret O'Brien, 92 Lawrence street; Mrs. P. A. Hayden, 177 Church street; Mrs. Alice Ellsworth, 6 Davis square; Hagoh Babigin, 119 Paige street; Elizabeth Broomhead, 436 Lawrence street; Joseph Tatro, 716 Lakeview avenue; Catherine McPhail, 383 Lakeview avenue; Julia McKenzie, Davis & Winter streets; Delia T. Farrell, 32 Davis street; Lucy A. Mason 129 Powell street.

The billiard and pool license of Peter Anastopoulos was transferred from 48 to 27 Adams street.

A special police warrant was granted Curtis F. Coburn, 10 First street, for the Gospel Mission and vicinity, corner French and George streets.

HE LEADS THEM ALL

Painless dentistry can't be had without Eu-Cola, and Eu-Cola can't be had without Dr. Allen, Old City Hall.

—THURSDAY—

A most unusual sale of gingham, chambray and percale House Dresses and Jumper Suits and Lingerie Dresses. Very suitable for immediate wear, especially for misses, and the prices in most cases would hardly cover the cost of materials.

Jumper Suits of A. F. C. gingham, in plaids and checks, and colored chambray; some of them were $2.50 and $3.50, now reduced to 1.69

Separate Wash Skirts of chambray, gingham and percale, more than two dollars worth of wear and satisfaction for 1.00

House Dresses of Bates gingham, Jumper Suits of chambray, lawn and gingham; styles that sold for $3.98 and Lingerie Princess Dresses, some were $4.98, and every suit left that sold for more than $2.97, now reduced to 2.50

House Dresses and Jumper Suits of Bates plaid and A. F. C. striped gingham, 38 and 39 inch skirts, insuring immediate wear without alterations; most of them were $2.97; some were $3.50, now 1.97

Small sizes in Gingham Waists, checks and stripes, the cloth alone cost more than 35c

Waists of wool, lace and lawn, tailored, embroidered and lace trimmed styles, none was less than $1.97, some were $2.50, now reduced to $1.25

Some quantities are small and some are large, but Thursday's choosing will be the best.

THE WHITE STORE, 116 Merrimack Street

INSURANCE TALK

As Applied to Savings Bank Scheme

BY LOUIS D. BRANDEIS AT UNITARIAN CHURCH

Before the Men's Club. Local Business Men Skeptical on the Score of the Guaranty Fund and Free Clerical Work

Louis D. Brandeis, the eminent Boston attorney and promoter of the savings bank insurance system, addressed a large and representative gathering at the dinner of the Unitarian Men's club in the vestry of the Unitarian church last evening. There were present many large employers of labor, notably A. G. Cumnock, who evinced a deep interest in the subject, and many bank men, including Mr. Edward B. Carney and Clarence Whidden, who have given the matter considerable thought.

The speaker of the evening was introduced by Chairman Brock, and he spoke in part as follows:

"A large part of the people in this country and in England speak of the English old age pension system as one of the most unfortunate moves that England has ever made. A system by which England is not only imposing upon herself this great financial burden, but is undermining the thrifty character of her people.

"It is a fact that the wage earner, as he lives, consumes practically all that he can earn. It is a world problem. The question therefore is before us, what will America do—primarily, what will Massachusetts do? First, it is necessary to diagnose the case. What is the main cause, or at least a great cause, of the misery that we find in all the communities? Take the cases that you know yourselves, among the working classes. The trouble has been sickness of the breadearner, or an accident, or premature death, or a series of accidents coming on; a period of superannuation and helplessness, long after the little savings had been exhausted."

The speaker's talk was along the general lines already published in The Sun, touching on the workings of this system.

At the close of his remarks Mr. Brandeis invited questions and Chairman Brock called upon Mr. E. B. Carney of the Lowell Institution for Savings. The latter stated that he would rather hear the good points than to suggest its possible disadvantages. He asked Mr. Brandeis to give some information about the guaranty fund system.

The law provides, explained Mr. Brandeis, that a bank may take hold of this insurance either as an agent or as a principal. If merely an agent, it provides no guaranty fund. The bank that issues the policies can start it only with a guaranty fund of not less than $25,000. This fund is provided wholly from without the bank. For instance: In Brockton the guaranty fund was provided by ex-Governor Douglas; and in Whitman, it was provided by a number of men. The money put into the guaranty fund is credited semi-annually with the same rate of interest as the deposits.

Mr. A. G. Cumnock applying the case of an agent to himself spoke of the extra clerical work involved in the office of the larger employer of labor who would become an agent. "I would have to open 1000 accounts," said Mr. Cumnock.

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Best No. 1 Smoked Shoulders......7½c
Sugar Cured Hams 12½c
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Fresh Pork Shoulders and Pork Roast, at lowest possible prices.

Choice Roast Beef, cut from the best corn-fed Chicago Dressed Beef, at 10c and up, according to quality.

Spring Lamb and Mutton, in large or small quantities, cut to suit customers.

Choice fresh killed native Chickens and Fowl always on hand, at very reasonable prices.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

We are pleased to inform our customers and the public, that we have added a grocery department to our market.

We carry a full line of the leading high grade brands of Flour, from 75c to 95c per bag. Barrels from $5.50 to $7.50. In canned goods, we carry the high grade, well known brands of Olney and Empire.

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Two Games
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Thursday, Feb. 11, 8 p. m.
ADMISSION - - - 15 CENTS

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225 Dutton Street
Will open Thursday Afternoon, Feb. 11
From 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p. m.
Admission, 5c. Reserved Seats, 5c Extra

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Proprietor—JULIUS CAHN—Mgr.
TONIGHT
Last Performance Here
A Romance of New Mexico
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Ladies' and Misses' Suits, some priced as high as $17.50, Thursday $5.98
Misses' Tailored Suits, from $10.00 .... $3.98
Children's Pretty Kersey Coats and Fancy Mixtures, ages 3 to 14 years, Thursday........ 98c
Bearskin Coats, blue, brown and gray, 2, 3 and 4 years. $1.39 Each
Ladies' Pretty Long Covert Cloth Coats, Skinner satin lined, some sold as high as $25.00. Thursday...$5.00 Each
Ladies' Short Kersey Coats, satin lined, small sizes...98c Each
Silk, Satin and Cravenette Rain Coats, all sizes and shades, were $15.00.......... $6.98
Odd lot of WRAPPERS, heavy flannelette, small sizes only, were $1.98.......... 69c
Heavy Percale House Dresses 98c
Heavy Percale Dress Skirts, were $1.00.......... 49c
Heavy Percale Waists...... 25c
Fine Zephyr Mohair Skirts, from 69c 35c
Balance of our 25c and 39c Flannelette Kimonos, Thursday 10c
Ladies' Fine Dress Skirts, broadcloths, pretty satin band trimming, from $2.50, Thursday 98c
Ladies' Good Cambric Drawers, from 25c 15c
Ladies' Heavy Cotton Night Robes, hamburg trimming, 23c
Fine Kid Gloves, all perfect, worth $1.00.......... 59c
Ladies' Sweaters, from $2.50 $1.25
Lace Net Waists, from $2.50 $1.49
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STREET DEPT. MEN

Accept Superintendent's Offer and Take Chance of Getting Paid

LAWRENCE, Feb. 10.—Although Supt. John C. Needham intends to comply with the mandate of the committee on streets to close down his department immediately until an investigation is made into the conduct of the department, he decided to retain the 110 men in the street department and about 30 men in the sewer department at present as he deems their services necessary. The order gives him the privilege of employing such men as deemed absolutely necessary.

In the street department the 110 men are engaged as teamsters, helpers and street crossing cleaners, while the 30 men in the sewer department are assigned to cesspool cleaning. Just as soon as Supt. Needham believes that their services can be dispensed with, they will be dropped.

After the order was adopted Monday night, Mayor White gave instructions to Captain Solomk to detail an officer to notify Supt. Needham to close down the department Tuesday, in compliance with the wishes of the board. The patrolman notified the superintendent at 1.30 o'clock this morning and at 2.30 a. m. he was in consultation with counsel. At 8 o'clock Tuesday a. m. Patrolman Huckman was sent to the city stables to preserve order and he was on duty until 8 o'clock, when he was relieved by Officer James Sullivan, who was at the stable all day. When the men reported for work they were told what the committee ordered and were told that if they wanted to go to work and take a chance on getting paid, they could. They did take a chance. The mayor consulted with the city solicitor for advice as to whether the men can draw pay for their services in the face of the fact that work was ordered suspended except what was necessary. The mayor has taken the matter under consideration and it is not known what will be the next move.

ALLEGED METHODS

By Which it is Charged Customs Revenue Was Defrauded

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—With a scale set in position before the jury, counsel for the government in its suit against the American Sugar Refining Co. today demonstrated the methods through which it is alleged that the company defrauded the customs revenue by underweighing sugar imports. Albert B. Lambert, a scale expert from the government mint at Philadelphia, superintended the demonstration.

Setting the scale by means of weights at 886 pounds he successively inserted in place of the regulation steel rod in the scale mechanism larger rods taken from the government exhibit and alleged to have been used on the scales at the sugar company's docks in Brooklyn. With the insertion of the first rod the weight registered was shown to be about 875 pounds and there were further reductions as larger rods were set in place.

U. S. AND JAPAN

Have Certain Issues Under Consideration

RENO, Nev., Feb. 10.—In a telegraphed interview to the Reno Gazette with Senator Nixon of Nevada at Washington, Senator Nixon said that President Roosevelt had informed him that certain matters were under consideration between the United States and the Japanese government which, if brought to a successful conclusion, would eliminate the present cause for complaint. Radical state action at this time would render difficult the desired result.

MAN IS DEAD

PASSED AWAY IN THE HULL HOUSE

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—One man was killed and another is under arrest as the result of a wrestling bout last night in Hull house, the settlement presided over by Miss Jane Addams. The police are making a sweeping investigation.

Barber Eusian, 27 years old, was the man killed, and John Eusian, 26 years old, not related to the dead man, is in a cell.

The men were wrestling in one of the rooms of the settlement house when Barber Eusian suddenly fell. His opponent saw that he was unconscious and summoned Medical Director E. W. White, who found him dead.

After learning of the death, Miss Addams said it was evidently a case of heart disease.

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FREE AT LAST

Man Was in Two Jails and Asylum

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—After four years spent partly in Ludlow street jail, partly in the Tombs and partly in the Matteawan state asylum, Peter Forrester, a 32d degree Mason, a Mystic Shriner and what not, was set free yesterday by Surrogate Thomas. Forrester was formerly a member of the Stock Exchange, but dropped everything in mining speculations.

He was extradited from New Jersey early in 1901, charged with grand larceny in having misappropriated part of the estate of his sister-in-law, Lucinda Dougherty, of which he was trustee. While on bail Forrester was brought up before the surrogate here and charged with contempt of court in having failed to file an accounting of Mrs. Dougherty's estate. The surrogate directed that Forrester be lodged in Ludlow street until he could purge himself of contempt by paying up $3500 to the legatees of Mrs. Dougherty. That was in November, 1904, and a few months later he was taken to the Tombs to stand trial on the grand larceny indictments. His counsel pleaded insanity as a defence, and Forrester was sent to Matteawan.

After a series of habeas corpus proceedings and appeals the Appellate Division in Brooklyn reversed the commitment and ordered his discharge. He was promptly recommitted to Ludlow Street, and had been there ever since, except for a brief interlude when he was brought up for trial again and pleaded guilty. Judge Foster suspended sentence and Forrester was taken back to Ludlow Street.

His lawyer, William Hawkins, made an urgent plea to Surrogate Thomas some days ago for the release of Forrester on the broad ground that the prisoner had certainly expiated his contempt of court, since he was absolutely unable to procure any money whatever and was in very bad health. Surrogate Thomas made a personal inquiry into the facts and decided that justice would be served best by the release of Forrester, who is known as "the dean" of Ludlow Street Jail.

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OFF TO MARDI GRAS

Lowell Party Sailed For New Orleans Today

Will be Guests at Celebrated Hotel Grunewald Where President-Elect Taft is to be Royally Entertained

Mr. Louis Grunewald, Jr., Dr. A. E. A. McCann, Fred Snow and James Horsfall of this city sailed from New York this morning on the steamer Comus of the Southern Pacific line for New Orleans, Mr. Grunewald's native city, where they will attend the festivities of Mardi Gras week, returning on the 24th on the steamship "Antilles" of the same line. While in New Orleans they will be guests at the celebrated Hotel Grunewald, the largest hotel in the south, which is owned by Mr. Grunewald's father and conducted by his brother, Mr. Theodore Grunewald, one of the leading hotel men south of the Mason and Dixon line. The trip to New Orleans is all by sea and will take five days, so that the Lowell party will arrive in due time for the festivities which begin on Thursday, Feb. 18, with the following program:

February 18—Knights of Momus, street parade at 8 p. m. Tableaux and ball; 22—Arrival of Rex 2 p. m. Naval and military parade; 22—Krewe of Proteus, street parade at 8 p. m. Tableaux and ball; 23—Rex parade at 10 a. m. Ball at 8 p. m.; 23—Mystic Krewe of Comus, street parade at 8 p. m. Tableaux and ball.

The hotel Grunewald will shelter President-elect Taft during his stay in New Orleans, and that he will be royally entertained may be seen by the following dispatch in the New York Sun and which anyone suffering with dyspepsia is advised not to read:

FEAST FOR THE GODS!

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 9.—In response to the expressed wish of the New Orleans Progressive union that the Creole dinner to be given in honor of President-elect Taft during his visit here shall live in history, Theodore Grunewald, who is at the head of the "court of famous cooks," who will prepare the banquet, has issued an order unique in the culinary career of New Orleans. The cooks insist that special arrangements be made for the fish supply, which constitutes the chief food to be used. Crabs and shrimp, which will come from Lakes Pontchartrain and Borgne on the outskirts of the city, must not be taken from the water until the morning of the banquet. Pompano, sheepshead, spanish mackerel and red fish must be alive within one hour of their delivery to the chefs. The oysters must be of the toothsome Bayou Cook variety and specially fattened for the occasion.

Confronted by these insistent demands of the cooks, Mr. Grunewald employed fully a dozen fishing smacks and oyster luggers, gave them special orders as to the character of the fish they are to bring him, the time of their arrival and the manner in which the fish are to be handled.

He went further, and the day upon which the Creole banquet was decided upon ordered a sufficient quantity of Bayou Cook oysters removed from their natural beds and placed on large, easily handled screens sunk at the mouth of Bayou Cook, where the inflowing and outflowing tides are supplying them with many times the quantity of fattening foods they would get in their natural state. The effect of this is similar to the effect of "stuffing" a goose with fattening food. Two weeks of this treatment is expected to improve the oysters Mr. Taft will eat and give them the exact flavor the chefs desire.

A crab glace made of shredded crab meat highly seasoned and frozen in gelatine will be served as an appetizer immediately preceding the dinner.

A gumbo, made of crabs, shrimp, oysters, Creole okra, etc., seasoned in the highest art known to Louisiana cooks and cooked in the way that has added laurels to Louisiana; oyster patties the size of a dessert plate; bouillabaisse, the kind that Thackeray immortalized; roast teal duck stuffed with shredded Louisiana oranges, a salad of native lettuce with a sauce made nowhere else in the world; wines and the richer Creoles drink a brandy brulot burnt in great bowls in the darkened banquet room over native fruits, fruit sugar and rare spices and served with drip coffee; cigars, and a dash of old brandy drunk from bowl glasses to secure the aroma. These are the leading items of the menu.

The banquet room is being elaborately decorated in native moss, fish nets characteristic of one of Louisiana's chief industries, sugar cane, cotton, nuts, flowers, oranges, etc. Thousands of dollars are being spent on this phase of the banquet alone.

Arrangements are being made to serve 1,000 guests, and because of the number customary form will not be adhered to, and all will be seated just before Mr. Taft enters the room. Upon his arrival the 1,000 hosts will rise and welcome him standing.

The Louisiana militia, United States troops and United Confederate Veterans will be represented in the Taft parade Thursday. Secretary of War Wright wired that he has no objection to the troops stationed here participating. The military band from Fort Barrancas, Fla., will take a part.

SUCH A SLUSHNESS

Lowell's Streets a Chain of Big Puddles Today

Street Department Evidently is Knocked Out by a Comparatively Small Storm—Ex-Supt. Morse Generally and Genuinely Missed Today

O, Slush!

Ain't it awful, Mabel?

Down went Morse at the beginning of the year and down went the entire public into slush and bilge water on the first wet day after his removal.

If there is no work for Frank Lazelle in the sewer department why not make him head of the street cleaning department. There'll be work enough there to keep him going.

Ex-Supt. Morse has been out of office less than a month and the whole town has the result impressed upon it.

It is doubtful if ever before in the history of the city have the street crossings and gutters of Lowell been in such deplorable condition as they were this morning and everyone in Lowell except the head of the street department saw what was coming early last evening when after all weather indications had predicted snow followed by rain, a light, wet snow began to fall, and everyone except the street department prepared to meet a wet, slushy day. Even Superintendent Whitcomb, who never rings a no-school signal unless it is absolutely necessary, didn't have the heart to make the scholar come out and the no-school bell rang at the usual hour.

But at 7 o'clock this morning there was nothing doing about the street crossings and the people going to work in the stores and mills and workshops arrived at their destinations with wet feet and soaking skirts, for even the short skirt now in vogue, didn't escape the depth of the slush of today.

The poor mill people always get the worst of it in this weather and today they had it rubbed in most discouragingly. Ex-Supt. Morse and his predecessor, Ex-Supt. Beals, attended to one matter always without failure, and that was to get men out sometimes as early as four o'clock in the morning, clearing sidewalks, gutters and street crossings after a storm, so that some of the mill people at least escaped the worst of it. But today the mill people had to break into the slush and the store help had to wade through it later.

At 7 o'clock this morning Merrimack square was in an awful condition, the catch basins being blocked and huge pools of water having gathered at each of the corners. Officer Peter McManmon upon sizing up the situation went to the street railroad office and rounded up several railroad men who were waiting for orders and asked them to clear passageways from the cars to the sidewalks. This they did, though they gave most of their attention to the street railway side of Merrimack street.

When the colored man who sweeps the crossings for the city came along he started in at Bridge street where the railroad men had already done a fairly good job. Officer McManmon promptly invited him over to the other side of the street where in front of The Sun building a pool existed that would take a professional broad jumper to clear. The sweeper soon dug out a gutter which temporarily relieved the situation, but there was much more work than one man could tackle with any hope of success. A few hours later a bunch of city teamsters came along following a wagon, and armed with shovels they cleared Merrimack square and then wet to the skin returned to the barn. It was something new to see teamsters doing a shovel act.

The sand men hadn't shown up at noon though the rain had left icy sidewalks that caused many a hard fall. It was a bad day for the poor children who are obliged to carry dinners to their parents in the mills. One case, not without its amusing feature, happened in Merrimack street, in front of the Merrimac Hotel shortly before noon. Two little girls each carrying a dinner pail were walking along hurrying to get to the Merrimack mills at noon. One of them struck an icy spot and went down, while the cover of the dinner pail flew into the air and out upon the wet sidewalk rolled three huge slices of buttered bread and a fine big potato. The little girl who fell, upon seeing the result of the accident, started to weep, whereupon her companion said: "Get up, Mamie, it's all right," at the same time gathering up the food that had escaped the warm confines of the pail. Going into a doorway nearby the girl carefully lifted up her skirt until she struck a dry spot and then carefully "brushing" the bread and potato returned them to the pail and covering it said to her weeping friend, "Come on, it's all right. He won't know the difference."

Undoubtedly it is many a long day since there has been such a general display of profanity, cuss words of all kinds throughout this city as was heard on all sides today, while the doctors and the undertakers wear looks of anticipation and one was heard to remark that it is always an ill-wind that blows good to nobody.

A big night at Sagamore dance, Friday evening, Asssociate hall.

AN AMENDMENT

TO THE NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL OFFERED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Connected with but not confined in its operations to the senate committee's amendment to the naval appropriation bill providing for a commission to examine into the business methods of the navy is a provision prohibiting the use of the appropriations in paying commissions which have not the sanction of the president. The provision is evidently intended to prevent the creation of committees by executive order and although it is made a part of the naval bill it is general in its application. Following is the text of the amendments:

"And hereafter no part of subject moneys or any appropriation heretofore or hereafter made by congress shall be used for the payment of compensation or expenses of any commission or any members thereof unless the creation shall have been authorized by congress."

WOMEN TO PRAY FOR VOTES

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The non-militant suffragettes, instead of taking the street against the police, will invoke divine aid for their propaganda.

The leaders, M. G. Fawcett and Lady Frances Balfour, have issued an appeal to sympathizers to assemble at Westminster Abbey on February 15, the day before the opening of parliament, to intercede for the furtherance of the caused during the coming session.

DEATHS

WHITMAN—Mrs. Etta B. Whitman, aged 48 years, died this afternoon at her home, 301 Pawtucket street. She leaves one son, William P., and one daughter, Marion M. Whitman. She is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Helen A. Tarr. Funeral notice later.

Lowell's well known piccolo player, Thomas F. McCarthy, has returned to the city after a successful season down south.

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To be used on our lines only. We sell Tungsten lamps of 80, 50, 40 and 20 candle power. The last mentioned size can be supplied in a limited number to each of our customers. These lamps give a better quality of light than the old carbon lamps, but use one half as much current.

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LATEST

A STATE OFFICER

Captured Men Who Stole Coats In This City

Harry Clark and Frank Miers, the two slick young men who stole three coats from the Putnam & Son Clothing store in this city a few months ago, sentenced to the house of correction and were defaulted at the last sitting of the superior court, are now occupying cells in Cambridge, the pair having been captured by State Inspector Byrne.

It will be remembered that Clark and Miers worked the box scheme here. They had a box with a false bottom which worked on hinges, and it was a simple matter for them to pull a suit of clothes or an overcoat off a table and slip it into the innocent looking box.

When they were caught in this city they were found guilty and sentenced to one year in the house of correction. They entered an appeal and were held under $500 bonds and secured bail. When their case was called at the last criminal session of the superior court they did not respond and were at large until today when they were arrested.

MADE HIS ESCAPE

Paul Kelly, Elevated Train Wrecker Leaves Sing Sing

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Paul Kelly, motorman of the Ninth avenue elevated train which was wrecked at the Fifty-third street turn in September, 1905, killing twelve passengers, and ex-Policeman Charles F. McCarthy of this city, prisoners at Sing Sing, escaped late yesterday afternoon from the new prison site at Bear mountain, and last night alarms were sent out in every direction for their capture.

Kelly and McCarthy were in a gang of a dozen convicts who were sent out yesterday from the temporary prison building at Bear mountain to cut ice on a pond back of the new building. The men were under the supervision of two guards and worked quietly all day. Late in the afternoon they had got to the fringe of a dense wood near the building and were cutting ice to put in the building, which is fast nearing completion and lacks only bars on the windows to make it ready for use. About eighty prisoners have been there of late, and counting Kelly and McCarthy nine have escaped since the convicts were set to work there, July 1 last. Only three of the fugitives have been recaptured. The matter is now under legislative investigation.

How Kelly and McCarthy got away is not known yet. No one has been found who saw them go. They were last seen at the edge of the wood and apparently hard at work. When it came time for them to be called in they were not there. Word of the escapes was sent to the main prison at Ossining, and an alarm was sent out from there. Guards were also ordered out at once to search through the neighboring country, but up to a late hour last night no trace of the men had been found.

McCarthy has a wife who lives at 3218 Third avenue and the police here were watching that address last night, but McCarthy kept clear of his old home so far as the police could learn. Kelly's only known relative is a sister, Kate Kelly, who lives at 14 Reed street, Newark, N. J., and the police of Newark were warned to be on the lookout for the runaway.

McCarthy, when a member of the police force, was stationed in The Bronx. After being on the force only a short time he was arrested by a fellow policeman charging with extorting money from a bartender in his precinct. He was tried before Justice Crane in 1907 and sentenced on November 1 of that year, to one year and ten months in Sing Sing.

Paul Kelly disappeared immediately after the wreck of the elevated train of which he was the motorman in 1905. William Jackson, a towerman, who was arrested, laid the blame on Kelly, and in July, 1907, Kelly, who had gone to San Francisco and lost all his money, gave himself up to the police of that city. He said at that time that he had been hired by strikers to wreck the train. There was no strike on at the time, however, and no attention was paid to that part of Kelly's story. He was brought east at once and after a brief trial on the charge of manslaughter was sentenced by Judge Malone in general sessions to one year and six months.

BENNETT BILL

RELATING TO THE ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR TRAFFIC OPPOSED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The house committee on alcoholic liquor traffic today by a vote of 5 to 4 rejected the Bennett bill providing for a commission of five members of each house to collect information regarding liquor traffic in this country and to recommend to congress any needful legislation.

MAN KILLED

WIND STORM CAME NEAR BEING CYCLONE

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—A wind storm of almost cyclonic proportions struck the upper part of the Delaware and southeastern Pennsylvania this afternoon, causing the death of one man and doing much damage in its narrow path.

PAPERMAKERS' CONVENTION

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—An address by General Organizer Stuart Reid of the American Federation of Labor and the appointment of convention committees occupied the time of the delegates today to the International brotherhood convention of the papermakers, pulp and sulphite mill workers. International President Carey of Watertown, N. Y., made another address in which he commended the work of Organizer Reid.

IT DESERVES IT

The Sun occupies the highest position in local journalism. It leads in everything. Everyone admits it to be

LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE KNOX CASE

May be Taken up By Taft Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The question whether Senator Knox of Pennsylvania is eligible to serve as secretary of state under President Taft's administration or whether the president-elect will face the disagreeable necessity when he reaches American soil tomorrow of selecting a new premier for his cabinet confronted all official Washington today. Although the first suggestion of the possible constitutional obstacle to the appointment of Senator Knox as secretary of state was broached yesterday it was so late at night that no one had an opportunity to consult authorities.

The facts in the case are:

Senator Knox was last elected for a six year term which will not expire until March 3, 1911. The constitution prohibits the appointment of a senator to an office created or the salary of which has been increased during the term for which he was elected.

It is quite evident that the senator himself is a good deal perturbed by the springing of this question at this moment. Without doubt he will have a message on the wires before Mr. Taft arrives at New Orleans, containing his own conclusions regarding his eligibility to the office of secretary of state.

Before the day is over there also will be deliverances from legal lights in Washington so that the question should not long remain unanswered. Meanwhile, a lay opinion is to the effect that Mr. Taft can find a way to make Senator Knox secretary of state without severely straining the United States constitution.

Calumet, new music at Associate, Fri.

NEW CONSUL GENERAL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The president today named Robert Mansfield of Indiana to be consul general at Zurich, Switzerland.

LATEST

PORTER A CROOK

Has Criminal Record in Several Other Cities

Man Who Was Charged With Keeping Liquor Collapsed in Police Court—Other Offenders Disposed of in Court

George A. and Jeanette Porter, who travel under many aliases and claim to be man and wife and thought to be two of the cleverest crooks in this section of the country, were arraigned before Judge Hadley in police court this morning on complaints charging them with the larceny of clothing and silverware, the property of Pierre Poissant and Mrs. Amanda Rivers. Porter entered a plea of not guilty, while his wife pleaded guilty. The court, however, found both guilty and sentenced the man to one year in the house of correction and the woman to six months in jail.

As sentence was pronounced on the woman she collapsed and fell to the floor and it was some time before she revived.

On the first count they were charged with the larceny of 18 knives, nine forks, one spoon, a shawl, five towels, one book, two table cloths and several minor articles, the property of Pierre Poissant and the second count charged them with the larceny of three curtains, three table cloths, a chemise and ten yards of lace, the property of Mrs. Amanda Rivers.

Pierre Poissant said he had examined the stolen articles and found that the greater portion of the articles belonged to him. He had them stored in a room in the building in Middlesex street, formerly known as the Hotel Frontenac.

Mrs. Amanda Rivers was called and identified some of the articles as her property.

Patrolman Peter Cawley said he arrested the couple yesterday morning. He went there with a search warrant and found the different articles hidden in various parts of the room, the silverware being stowed away in a pillow on the bed.

Testifying in his own behalf Porter said that when he saw the articles he asked his wife where she had got them and when she told him he told her to put them back, but she refused to do so.

"Where did you come from?" asked Deputy Welch.

"Manchester," was the response.

"Were you ever arrested?"

"Yes, in Lewiston. I got sixty days for being drunk."

"Ever arrested in Concord?"

"Yes, I was charged with horse stealing, but was acquitted."

"Were you arrested for passing worthless checks?"

"Not there."

"Where?"

"Portland."

Handing the witness a newspaper clipping containing a picture Deputy Welch asked: "Is that a good picture of you?"

"I would say it was."

"Did you cut it out of a paper and keep it?"

"I don't know."

"You didn't know that that was in your room?"

"No, sir."

"You were known under the name of Bredo there, weren't you?"

"That was my stepfather's name."

"Were you known as True also?"

"No, sir."

Deputy Welch said that Porter had said he was married to his wife in Auburn seven years ago, while she said that she was married to Porter in Sherbrooke about 12 years ago.

Judge Hadley asked Porter if he was a well man.

"Not very well," was the answer.

"What is the matter with you?"

"I am a morphine fiend."

"How long have you been addicted to the use of that drug?"

"About seven or eight years."

"Is your wife addicted to the same trouble?"

"Yes, sir."

The court then found both guilty and sentenced the man to the house of correction and the woman to jail.

According to the police, Porter is known as Fred and Frank Bredo and Ernest and Edward True and is well known to the police of New England. Both Porter and his wife are morphine fiends and while in the police station the drug had to be given to them on several occasions.

Tried to Take Her Life

Jessie Harrison, who will be 20 years old in a couple of weeks, was arrested by the Nashua police yesterday after she had made an attempt to commit suicide by jumping into one of the canals and she was brought to this city last night by Sergt. Thomas Atkinson.

She was charged with being a stubborn child and entered a plea of not guilty. The girl's mother said that she could do nothing with Jessie and that a short time ago the girl ran away from her.

The Harrison girl said that she had run away with a fellow as she had got tired of living with her mother. She heaped abuse upon her mother, but when she was sentenced to the woman's prison at Sherborn she broke out in a crying spell and shouting at the top of her voice said: "Take me back, mamma, please. I will be good. Forgive me this time."

Man Collapsed in Dock

Joseph McKenna, charged with illegally keeping liquor in a house in Howard street, collapsed in the dock of police court this morning while waiting for his case to be called. He was taken from the dock to the floor below, where Drs. Benner and Smith attended him. When he was able to be brought back to the court room the case against him was continued till tomorrow morning.

Neglected His Wife

Eugene Benoit pleaded not guilty to a complaint made by his wife, charging him with failing to provide for her since the first of October. He was placed on probation.

Pleaded Not Guilty

John E. Bell of this city and George T. Fagan, of Lawrence, were arrested late yesterday afternoon by Patrolman William G. Bumps and when asked to plead to complaints of drunkenness, entered pleas of not guilty. Bell said he had a few drinks, but was not intoxicated. He said that Fagan, who was a stranger to him, was annoying him and it was while trying to get rid of his objectionable friend that he was arrested. Fines of $2 were imposed in both cases.

Stole a Hammer

Charles E. Badger pleaded guilty to the larceny of a hammer, the property of James F. Corbett, the pawnbroker. Badger said he was drunk and did not know what he was doing. He was fined $6.

Drunken Offenders

Thomas F. Daly was charged with being drunk. It was his 22d appearance before the court and his third time within a year. Inasmuch as he has a wife and family to support the court decided to give him another chance. He was given a suspended sentence of four months in jail and placed on probation for one year.

James McDeavitt received a sentence to the state farm.

Jennie Fletcher made her 26th visit in the court and for the next three months will be found at the Lowell jail.

James Murphy, second offender, was fined $6.

Five first offenders were each fined $2 and eight simple drunks were released.

DEATHS

CURRAN—Miss Jane Curran died yesterday afternoon at her home, 228 Lawrence street, after a lingering illness, at the age of 36 years. She leaves two brothers, John of this city and Henry of New York.

BEANE—Mrs. Elisabeth T. Beane died yesterday afternoon at her home, 212 Tenth street, at the age of 81 years. She leaves her husband, Andrew J. Beane; one daughter, Marion Ingalls; one step-daughter, Miss Mary A. Beane; two brothers, John M. Hayes, of Sanford Me., and Charles J. Hayes of Togus, Me.; two sisters, Mrs. C. M. Moore of Lynn, and Mrs. M. C. Wilson, also of Lynn. She was a member of the Centralville Methodist church, Women's Relief corps, and the Centralville lodge of Rebekahs. Funeral notice later.

HANSON—Mrs. Grace A. Hanson, aged 65 years, an old and respected resident of St. Michael's parish, died last night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary McCann, No. 7 Hampshire place. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. McCann, and six grandchildren.

Funeral will take place Friday morning from her late home at 8.30 o'clock and there will be a high mass of requiem at St. Michael's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Jas. W. McKenna.

M. A. CORCORAN

APPOINTED HAT BUYER FOR MERRIMACK CLOTHING CO.

Mr. Michael A. Corcoran, for many years in the employ of the Merrimack Clothing Co. has been promoted to the position of hat buyer for that establishment.

Mr. Corcoran is thoroughly familiar with Lowell men's hat wants. He has had considerable practical experience, having been associated with the Merrimack as a men's furnishing and hat salesman for the past dozen years.

He is a man of ideas and is a type of the live kind of material that has constantly forced him to the front.

He has already entered upon his new duties and will endeavor to retain the patronage of his many friends and claims he will have the most up-to-date live hat department in Lowell.

STREET RAILWAY MEN

Two well attended meetings of the local division of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes of America were held yesterday in the association rooms in Merrimack street. One meeting was at two o'clock in the afternoon and the other at seven o'clock in the evening. Reports were heard from the arbitration board and the rulings of the board were endorsed.

Several applications for membership were received and favorably acted upon.

The final arrangements were completed for the annual concert and dance which is to be held tonight.

REV. DR. MARTIN

Spoke on Lincoln Before the Congregational Club

At the regular meeting of the Congregational club, held in the High street church vestry last night, Rev. Dr. George E. Martin of the Kirk street church gave an eloquent address on Abraham Lincoln, and paid to the memory of the noblest of men the grandest of tributes. In part, he said: "Lincoln had visions and he believed he was an instrument of God's for the betterment of mankind. His last vision came on the night of Feb. 12, 1864, on his 50th birthday. Lincoln repeated it afterwards to a few friends. The month of February, 1864, had been one of great disappointment and of real great trial to the president. It had been the most disappointing month in the history of the nation. Gen. Gilmore had been sent to Jacksonville, Fla., to seize stores from the rebels, and which would prove, if seized, of vast importance to the northern forces. But the president had not heard whether the plan had proven successful or not. Two days before this vision, Gen. Sherman had started eastward and Gen. Smith had had his orders to move in a southeasterly direction, and to effect a junction with Gen. Sherman. But the president had received no news of the orders being successfully carried out. Gen. Killpatrick had been ordered to begin a frontal attack on Richmond, the following morning. The president was in quandary as to whether this was a wise move or not. He had just signed a draft for 500,000 more men, boys, from the north. His sympathetic nature shuddered at the thought of the sacrifice of more blood. And he had determined that on the following morning Gen. Grant should be put at the head of the entire Union forces. He knew his enemies would come down on him like an avalanche for this selection. Wendell Phillips, up in the north, had hurled at him bitter denunciation and called him the country's most colossal failure. Horace Greeley, in an article under which he signed his name, said: 'His administration has been worse than useless, and Abraham Lincoln himself is worse than a fool.' And that was the month that the president had lost, by death, his little son. He never recovered from this shock.

And this night, as the hours wore on, the great man, torn to the quick of sympathy, torn by conflicting opinions, by doubt, thought on and on. The great frame sank down, the great eyes closed and the vision came on him. As he told it, a tall white angel appeared at his side. Placing a cold, white hand over his shoulder and down above his heart, the angel said: "I will lift the curtain of 40 years hence, that you may have the courage to go on with your great task." And they floated over a great city and into a hall crowded with people. There were two pictures hanging at the rear of the platform in the great hall. And over one was the legend "Father of His Country," and under it was the name "George Washington." Over the other was the legend "Savior of His Country," and under it was the name "Abraham Lincoln." And then the angel and the president floated out and over a vast amphitheatre, in which were marching thousands of soldiers. They were the grandsons of the men who had fought on one side in blue, and on the other in gray. And they were all marching side by side. And then they went over a vast auditorium where a boy arose and gave his Gettysburg speech. And then they came over a home, where a gentle-faced woman and a strong man, each with a hand in the hand of a child, stood looking up at the picture of Lincoln placed on a mantel. And then they floated back to the president's office. The bells of midnight were sounding and the voice of Tad was calling. And the angel said to him, as it departed: "Abraham, don't ever say after this night that your life isn't worth while. It is worth while." And little Tad asked him if he had been dreaming again, and the father answered "Yes." "I've been waiting for your kiss a long while, father," said the boy. "I couldn't go to sleep without it." And the father gathered up the son in his arms, and up, up they went to the chambers above.

"Lincoln was so unique that he is great," said the speaker; "so great that he is loved. He was a temple of God's, this mountain among men. The foundations of this temple were based on absolute righteousness. . . . And when the temple fell, it left a vast, lonely space against the sky."

Supper was served at 6.30 and at the head of the table beside Dr. Martin were: Rev. B. A. Willmott, who presided; Rev. A. Frederick Dunnels, of the Highland Congregational church; Rev. A. C. Ferrin of the High Street Congregational church; Henry A. Smith, Harvey B. Greene, Sheriff E W Clark and A C Russell. After the meeting Dr. and Mrs. Martin were tendered an informal reception.

ASK FOR WASHBURN-CROSBY'S GOLD MEDAL FLOUR THE VERY HIGHEST QUALITY

FUNERALS

WILLIAMS—The funeral of Mrs. Isabella D. Williams took place yesterday afternoon from her home, 121 London street, Rev. Robert F. True and Rev. George E. Tomkinson officiating. There was singing by Messrs. Beavens and Davis, and the bearers were: Harry Estabrook, Frederick Hammond, Robert Lindsay and Alexander Lindsay. The floral offerings were especially profuse, among which were the following: Pillow, husband; wreaths, mother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Williams, Mrs. Eli Harris, Armour and Co., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson; star on base, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ryan, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pangburn; baskets Miss Alice and Fred Hammond, Miss Ella Clegg, O. A. Draper and family; crescent on base, Immanuel Baptist church; sprays, Mr. and Mrs. David Coutts, Mr. and Mrs. William Coutts and family, William Gillespie, C. F. Young, Harry Esterbrook, W. C. T. U., Mr. and Mrs. C. McEvans and sons, Mr. and Mrs. E. Whittier, Mr. and Mrs. O. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Russell, John McEvans and Mrs. Worcester, Miss Mary Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leath, Mr. and Mrs. William Tyrrell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, Lloyd Bible class, Mrs. S. Peterson, Mrs. M. Hodge, Elisabeth Jones, Ira Roberts, Annie Aldrich, and Emma Boynton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payton, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. True, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kappler, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lindsay, Mrs. Tough, Mrs. Dundas and family, Miss Minnie Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dundas.

Burial was in the Edson cemetery, under the direction of C. M. Young Co.

FAY—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Fay, an aunt of Most Rev. William H. O'Connell, who died Sunday afternoon at the home of her niece, Mrs. Henry Batch, 42 Addington road, Brookline, took place yesterday morning at 9.30 o'clock from the home of her niece, and was largely attended.

At the church of the Assumption, Brookline, at 10 o'clock, a solemn high funeral mass was celebrated by Rev. James P. E. O'Connell, secretary to the archbishop, and present in the sanctuary was His Grace, the archbishop, and a large number of priests of the diocese, including Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., and Rev. Lawrence F. Tighe, O. M. I., of the Sacred Heart church, this city.

After the ceremony, the funeral proceeded to the North Union station, Boston, where the body was placed on board the 11.30 train, arriving in Lowell at 12.07 p. m. On arriving in this city the funeral wended its way to the Catholic cemetery followed by the immediate relatives of the deceased. Present at the grave were a number of her friends of this city. The burial took place in the family lot, where prayers were read by Rev. T. Wade Smith, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Frs. Ronan, Mullin and Tighe, O. M. I.

The bearers were four nephews of the deceased, John, Luke, Matthew and Edward O'Connell, all of this city. The funeral arrangements and burial were in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

FUNERAL NOTICE

DOWD—The funeral of the late Mrs. Julia Dowd, widow of Patrick Dowd, will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, and at 10 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at the Sacred Heart church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

JAPANESE PAPERS

State There is Great Opposition to Japanese Residents

TOKIO, Feb. 10.—The Japanese newspapers continue to be filled with despatches emanating from San Francisco, New York and London, indicating a serious increase of anti-Japanese sentiment in the Pacific coast states which is said to be rapidly spreading to interior states. The Asahi's San Francisco correspondent has cabled to the paper alleged statements and utterances of senators and others which are of a most sensational character. The despatches state that all Pacific states are developing grave opposition to the Japanese residents and urging legislative measures which would deprive such residents of all rights which enable them to reside and transact business in the states.

These despatches are being widely read throughout Japan and are creating a deep impression. The Asahi, which is independent politically, editorially comments on the despatches, however, urging upon the Japanese patience and a reliance upon the better elements among the Americans for a protection of their rights.

The Hochi, which is of the sensationalist press, makes heated and passionate comments on the American despatches and concludes with the Japanese proverb, "Even Buddha loses patience if his face is slapped thrice."

London despatches also depict the anti-Japanese situation in America as grave.

The attitude of the government officials here and of the better classes that absolutely control Japan remains unchanged. Americans everywhere are assured that Japan has no reason to believe that the action of the state legislatures will in any way affect the relations between the two countries.

It is believed here, however, that the sensational presentation of the situation by the California correspondents of the Japanese press must seriously affect the business future and standing not only of Americans, but of all foreigners in Japan. Ninety-nine per cent of the Japanese are unable to distinguish between the various nationalities. All of the foreigners in Japan are considered alike.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

A stereopticon lecture on "Athens" will be given by Rev. Dr. George E. Martin next Thursday at 7.45 p. m. in Kitson hall. The public is cordially invited.

Again, this week, at the regular Wednesday noon meeting at 12.25, a report of the Chapman - Alexander meeting in Boston is to be made by Miss Field. Miss Curren will sing.

Tonight at 7.30 there is to be a valentine party given by the members of the Klifa club. A most enjoyable time is anticipated.

The social committee is planning a valentine party for next Monday evening, to which all young women, with their gentlemen friends, will be invited.

The missionary committee asks all those who promised things for Grace Eaton's box to bring them to the association building at the earliest possible date, so that a correct list of things still needed may be made. Will friends kindly heed this request?

Those young women who plan to join the party now forming to attend the Chapman meeting in Boston, Saturday evening, are requested to leave Lowell on the 2.41 train Saturday afternoon.

The friendly rivalry now evident in the Young Women's Christian association circles speaks of some energetic effort being put forth by captains and squads on both sides in the membership campaign. For the first two weeks the Harvards (matrons) have been in the lead, but last night the Dartmouths (maidens) hoisted their green flag. This is the hour for a united, steady pull together, and the goal can be reached by the 20th—500 new members.

All captains on the Dartmouth side are requested to meet tonight at seven o'clock for a brief meeting and reports.

BILLERICA

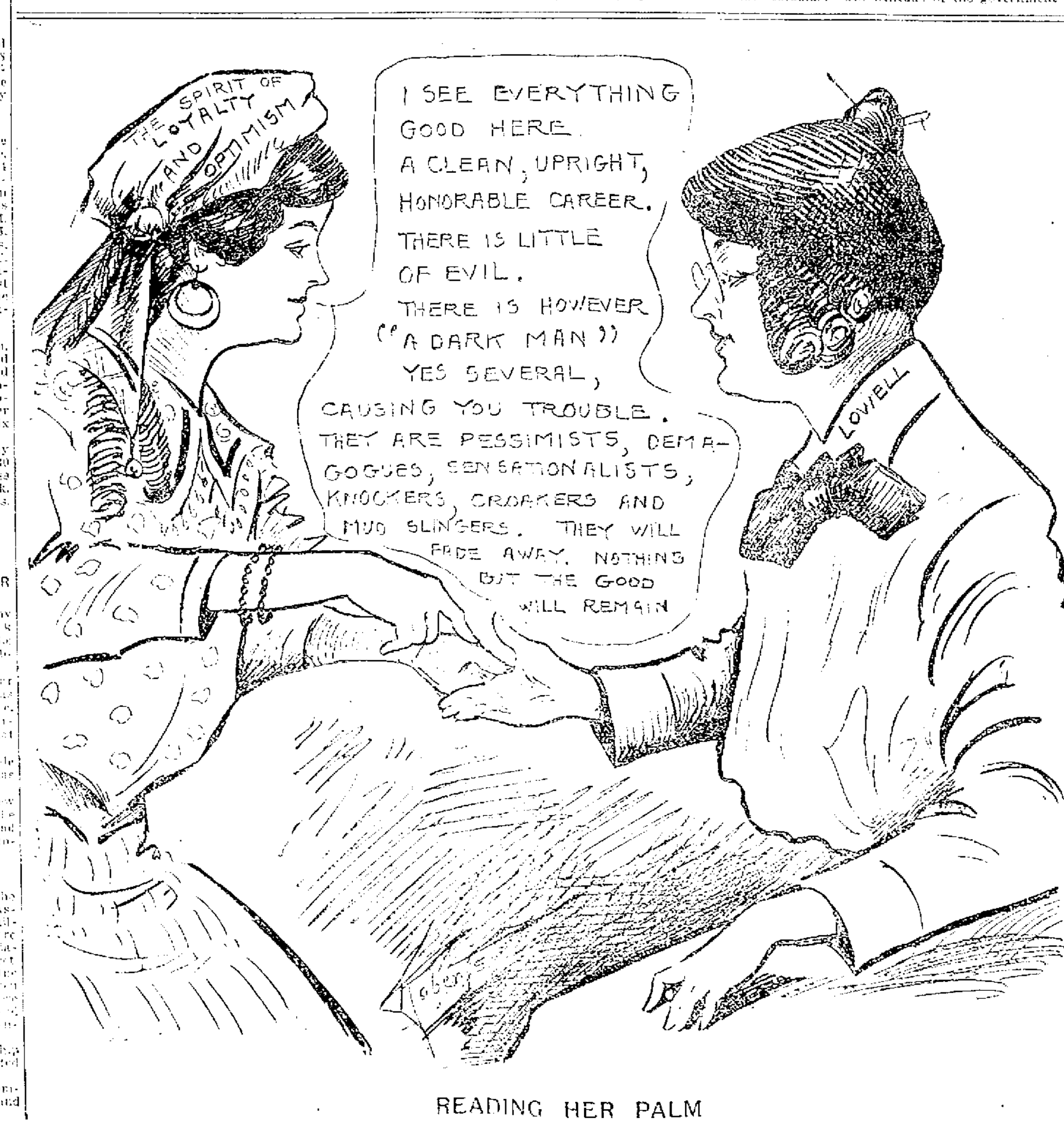
A progressive whist tournament opened Monday night between the Billerica Republican club and the Mathew Total Abstinence society. Each organization was represented by eight teams and considerable interest was displayed during the evening. The Republican club won the first night's play by a score of 328 to 305. The scores of the different teams are as follows: Republican club, J. Higson and G. Chambers, 53; Whitehead and McBride, 46; W. Higson and W. Chambers, 46; Twombly and Stott, 46; McDonald and Wain, 36; F. Brown and Eaton, 36; Garner and G. H. Brown, 28; Perry and Nickerson, 32; Mathews, Riley and Phair, 50; J. O'Toole and A. O'Toole, 46; M. Conway and Campbell, 42; Shalloo and Sheridan, 39; Costello and Welsh, 37; Bradley and J. Conway, 36; McCarthy and Ennion, 30; Hannon and Fitzpatrick. The next session will take place Monday, Feb. 15.

The sewing circle in connection with Winning Rebekah lodge met in Odd Fellows hall Monday afternoon with a good attendance. At the close of the sewing hour, the company was pleasantly entertained by Miss Jennie Blodgett, with selections from the life of Lincoln. Supper was served at 6.30, Clara Bartlett and Jennie Barker in charge. There was the regular lodge meeting in the evening.

Two bolts blew out of the cylinder head of the engine at the Faulkner plant Monday morning necessitating the shutting down of the engine and closing the several departments for the day.

HAD A SHOCK

The ambulance was called to 245 Tenth street this morning about 8.30 o'clock and Mrs. John Keefe, an elderly woman who had suffered a paralytic shock, was removed to St. John's hospital. The woman was semi-conscious at the time, but the doctors at the hospital are of the belief that her condition is not serious.



READING HER PALM

6 O'CLOCK

FIGHT RESUMED

On Bills On Anti-Japanese Legislation in California

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 10.—The fight in the California legislature over the anti-Japanese bills was resumed today with the argument on the question of the reconsideration of the measure providing separate schools for Japanese children. Gov. Gillett has frankly announced that all of his efforts to have the bill withdrawn have proven abortive. At the conference yesterday Rep. Johnson was asked to withdraw the bill but Gov. Gillett denies that any compromise in the way of promise of support for milder anti-Japanese measures was given to induce the assemblyman from Sacramento to consent to the sacrifice of his pet measure. It is hardly likely that a motion to reconsider will prevail today unless Speaker Walter Stanton possibly brings the party lash into play for since the democratic caucus many of the republicans have maintained that the minority has seized upon the Japanese question to play for political advantage.

Johnson's bill to restrict unhealthy, undesirable and immoral persons to certain prescribed limits in municipalities will come up for action today.

In the senate the only anti-Japanese matter in sight is a set of resolutions prepared by Mark Anthony on the subject. It is said that the resolutions will score the president for his rebuke of Senator Perkins.

GOVERNOR'S EFFORTS FAIL

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 10.—All efforts of Gov. Gillett and his supporters in the assembly to make a compromise agreement on anti-Japanese legislation have failed. Grover Johnson notified the governor and Speaker Stanton today that he stood "pat."

STEAMER IS SAFE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Any anxiety that might have been felt for the safety of the steamer Captain Lucas of the Standard Oil Co.'s fleet was removed today when word was received at the company's offices here of her safe arrival at her destination, St. John, N. B. The Captain, A. E. Lucas, is believed to have been the steamer reported yesterday by the steamer Victoria de Larrinaga sighted February 8 off Martha's Vineyard in apparent difficulties. She reported no trouble at her arrival at St. John.

TAFT AND SHERMAN

Their Election Formally Ratified by Congress Today

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The election of W. H. Taft as president of the United States and of James Sherman as vice president was formally ratified at a joint session of the house and senate in the hall of the house of representatives this afternoon. The presiding officer of the joint session was Vice President Fairbanks who occupied a seat on the right of Speaker Cannon.

After announcing the purpose of the gathering Vice President Fairbanks unlocked two wooden boxes containing the electoral votes, extracting and opening them in alphabetical order by states. As the votes of each state were opened they were handed to four tellers who counted them. These tellers were Senators Burrows and Bailey and Reps. Haines and Russell. At the conclusion of the count the result, showing 321 electoral votes for Taft and Sherman and 162 votes for Bryan and Kern, was handed to the presiding officer who thereupon inquired if there was any protest against the vote as announced. There being none, Vice President Fairbanks formally announced the election of Mr. Taft and Sherman. The joint session then came to an end, the members of the senate returning to their chamber for the transaction of business.

Owing to the limited capacity of the house few persons other than the families and relatives of the members of the two branches of congress witnessed the ceremony.

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Black Pepper, Stickney & Poors, ¼ lb. carton ... 4c

Best Teas, all kinds ... 25c lb.

Best Coffee, Fenway Blend ... 13c lb.

Cocoa—Walter Baker's, 20c ½ lb., 10c ¼ lb.

Spices—Stickney & Poors, all kinds ... 5c quarter lb.

Mustard—Stickney & Poors, 8c

Cream Tartar ... 6c quarter lb.

Extracts—all flavors, pure ... 7c

Corn Starch—pound package 5c

Baking Powder ... 12c lb.

8c a half lb., 5c quarter lb.

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SEC'Y MERRILL

Commends Sun Editorial and Police Dept.

Secretary Merrill of the Law and Order league yesterday telephoned to congratulate The Sun upon yesterday's editorial dealing with the damage done to Lowell by people who parade in public whatever evil they can find in Lowell and hold it up as indicative of general conditions. He never believed in such methods and he rejoices to find the practice so admirably condemned as it was in yesterday's editorial.

Mr. Merrill also spoke of the excellent work done by the police department and said he has never yet found Supt. Moffatt or Deputy Welch to fall down on any case. He believes the police board and the department as a whole is making an honest effort to enforce the law and if anybody has any evidence of violation it should be submitted to the police department rather than shouted from the house tops. On this we agree perfectly with Mr. Merrill.

From several sources The Sun has received similar compliments on the stand it has taken against the people who slander the city and thereby injure its reputation with outsiders who thus conclude that Lowell is a good city to keep away from.

Lowell is a good, peaceable and orderly city, a good city to live in, and especially a good city to do business in.

THE GARVEY CASE

Settled by Payment of Claims Today

The case of Thomas F. Garvey vs. City of Lowell is a thing of the past. The record of the settlement is now on file at the city treasurer's office, and the city this forenoon paid the sum of $1351.98, to avoid further litigation.

Upon receipt of that amount Francis W. Qua, counsel for Mr. Garvey, gave to the city treasurer the following legal acknowledgement, signed and sealed by Mr. Garvey:

Know all men by these presents: That I, Thomas F. Garvey, of Lowell, in the county of Middlesex and commonwealth of Massachusetts, plaintiff in the action of Thomas F. Garvey vs. City of Lowell, No. 14,773, in consideration of the settlement of said action and the payment to me of the amount of the judgment and costs, to wit, the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty-one dollars and ninety-eight cents ($1351.98), do hereby release and discharge the city of Lowell of and from all claims and demands, actions and causes of action, at law or in equity, which I have or may have against said city for any acts, doings or omissions of said city or any of its officers prior to Jan. 19, 1909.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and seal, etc.

A NEW BUREAU

For the Department of Interior

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The establishment of a children's bureau in the department of the interior is provided for in a bill on expenditures in the interior department which was decided upon favorably in the house today.

The bill places the bureau under the direction of a chief to be appointed by the president who is to receive $5000 a year.

The purpose of the bureau as outlined in the measure would be to investigate and report on all matters pertaining to the welfare of children and child life, infant mortality, the birth rate, physical degeneracy, juvenile courts, illegitimacy, dangerous occupation, employment, legislation affecting children in the several states and territories and any other facts bearing upon children's welfare. The bill provides for an assistant chief and a large force together with four special agents.

BILL PRESENTED

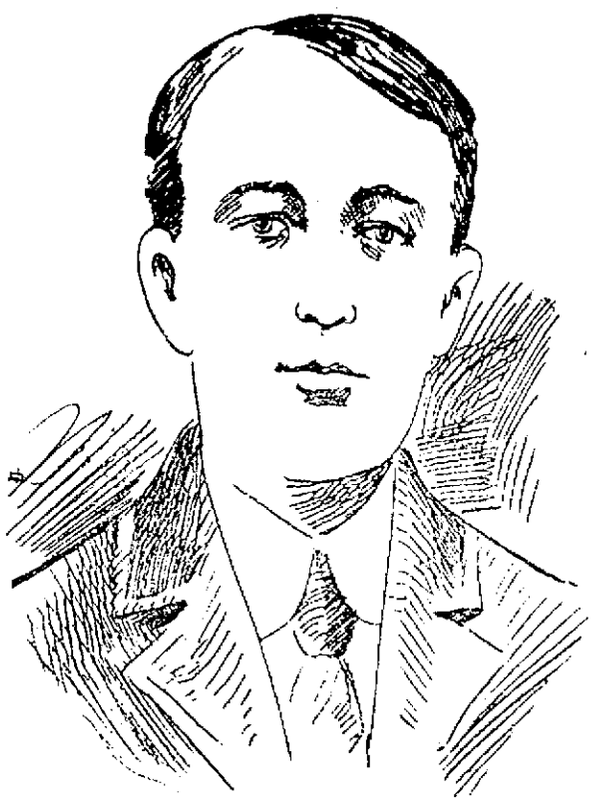
To Tax the Railroads in Maine

AUGUSTA, Me., Feb. 9.—An act relating to the taxation of steam railroads was introduced in the senate today by Mr. Staples of Knox. It provides that between the first day of April and the first day of May of each year the state board of assessors shall appraise the railroads doing business in this state with their franchises, rolling stock, road bed and fixtures at their cash value and upon this valuation to levy a tax of one per cent. so as to make such tax upon railroads as equal as may be to all other property in the state. The line, buildings and fixtures shall be taxed in towns and cities where situated as like property is taxed in those places. In the case of railroads extending beyond the limits of the state the state board shall appraise the road within the state and so much of the franchise as is owned or operated in the state. The act gives authority to cause officials of the road and employes to appear and give evidence.

BADLY INJURED

MISS MANUEL WAS THROWN THROUGH MILL WINDOW

FRANKLIN, N. H., Feb. 10.—Miss Ida M. Manuel, an assistant teacher in the Franklin high school, was thrown out in a runaway accident at the foot of Prospect hill yesterday afternoon, and seriously injured. Miss Manuel was driving from her home, Willowdale farm, off Prospect street, and in front of paper mill of the International Paper company Miss Manuel was thrown out and her head and shoulders went through a window into the basement of the mill. She shot head first through the window and her shoulder struck a big iron valve. Her shoulder was broken, three ribs crushed in and internal injuries inflicted. Two physicians who treated her at the office of one, where she was carried, said that they were unable to state the exact extent of her injuries. Miss Manuel was rendered unconscious by the accident. She is in such a state of collapse that the fractures cannot yet be reduced.



ARTHUR D. HILL, SAID TO BE GOV. DRAPER'S CHOICE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

ARTHUR D. HILL

May be John B. Moran's Successor

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Unless Gov. Draper changes his mind he will appoint Arthur Dehon Hill, a former opponent of John B. Moran, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the district attorney of Suffolk county, say those close to the governor.

Another prominent republican lawyer, who usually knows what is going on at the state house, said last night that the governor in a talk with Mr. Hill had tendered him the position and Mr. Hill had accepted.

BOSTON LAWYER INSTANTLY KILLED

LYNCHBURG, Va., Feb. 10.—Waldron Bates, an attorney of Boston, Mass., was instantly killed by a train at Monroe, near here, last night. It is presumed that he left the train for exercise and fell under it while attempting to board it after it had started. A coroner's jury today exonerated the railroad. The body was sent to Boston today.

POSTAL EMPLOYES

ARE SAID TO BE LOBBYING IN CONGRESS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Acting upon charges made against three officers of the organizations of the postal employes, Postmaster General Meyer yesterday served notice that he would allow them 10 days in which to defend themselves of the allegations of lobbying before congress in the interest of legislation affecting postal employes.

Officials of the department declined to divulge the names of those who made the complaints against the three men, Frank T. Rogers of Chicago, president of the United association of postoffice clerks; William E. Kelly of Brooklyn, president of the National association of letter carriers, and E. H. Roberts of this city, representing the railway postal clerks.

In the case of Kelly and Rogers, the postmaster general has also canceled their leaves of absence and issued instructions to them to return immediately to their respective posts of duty.

The postmaster general's action was taken after several conferences with President Roosevelt. The former has caused a letter to be written to each of the three men, in which it is declared in part:

"It is alleged that you have violated the executive order dated Jan. 31, 1902, in that you have attempted to influence legislation in your own interest and in the interests of the association which you represent."

DENMAN THOMPSON IMPROVED

WEST SWANZEY, N. H., Feb. 10.—Because of the rapid improvement shown in the condition of Denman Thompson, the actor, who has been suffering from pneumonia at his home here the past week, the amount of oxygen administered to him has been diminished greatly. His attendants stated today that he is gradually regaining strength.

IDLE HOUR COTILLION

The annual cotillion of the Idle Hour club will be held in Associate hall this evening and promises to be the most brilliant event of the season in the social line.

Sagamore dance, Fri. Eve., Associate.

NORMAL SCHOOL

NASHUA MAKES OFFER TO THE STATE

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 10.—The Arlington street school building, worth about $50,000, including seven acres of land and $15,000 in money toward other buildings, were offered by the city of Nashua to the state committee on normal schools at Concord today. This offer is made by way of inducement for the location of the branch of the state normal school in Nashua.

At the meeting of the city councils last evening the committee on education appeared and asked for the renewal of the offer of two years ago. A resolution was submitted and unanimously passed and today members of the board of education and the city councils appeared before the committee with Nashua's proposition. There are several bills now before the legislature on the normal school matter and it is believed that Nashua stands a good chance of getting the school. This city's proposition to the state is the best that has been offered.

FOR VOTING MACHINES

PROVIDENCE, Feb. 10.—Bills providing for an appropriation of $50,000 to secure voting machines to be used at city and state elections and for $12,500 for the extermination of the tussock moth and the elm beetle were presented to the legislature today and were turned over to the committee on finance.

DEPT. SUPPLIES

Delivery to Be Closely Inspected

CITY HALL WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY

Public Invited to Exercises in High School Hall on Lincoln Day Evening. Other Matters

Heads of departments sit up and take notice, for the chief executive hath spoken:

Hereafter you must be present or have a representative on hand when goods are being delivered to your respective departments and if you fail in this it will go hard with you.

The mayor, this forenoon, declared that he would issue an order that would hold the heads of departments responsible for the quality and quantity of the supplies provided them on requisition. "When supplies are being delivered a department," he said, "the head of that department or his representative must be on hand to see that the contractor shall deliver the quality and quantity specified in the requisition. The purchasing agent or a representative from his department will be there too."

"If heads of departments fail to comply with my order to be present and inspect supplies at the time of delivery I will remove them. The city council may not back me up in it but I'll remove them anyway."

Mayor on Mileage Books

Mayor Brown went to Boston today to attend the New England Water Works convention, which is being held at the Brunswick house, and prior to his going he left word with his private secretary to notify all heads of departments that he had decided to call a halt to the promiscuous distribution among department heads of mileage books.

Pay Day Thursday

Because Lincoln days falls on Friday, which is pay day at city hall, Thursday will be pay day, and bills that would have been paid on Friday will be paid on Saturday.

Memorial Exercises

Don't forget that the public is invited to the exercises to be held in high school hall on Lincoln day evening.

THE BILLERICAS

DEFEATED THE CHRISTIAN HILL TEAM

The Billericas defeated the Christian Hills by a score of 14 to 12 last night in one of the closest matches played in the Lowell and Suburban Basketball league series. The Billericas took the lead at the start and held it till the end of the game, but the quintet from Christian Hill played an excellent game and pushed their opponents to the limit. Bull of the winning team was right there when it came to throwing for the basket and caged the ball on four different occasions.

The lineup and summary:

Christian Hill	Billerica
Freeman lf	rb Harley
Atkinson rf	lb Baker
Jenkins c	c Turner
Walker lb	rf Bull
Mills rb	lf Mahoney

Score—Billerica 14, Christian Hill 12. Goals by—Bull 4, Atkinson 3, Mills 2, Mahoney, Turner, Harley. Points on Fouls—Atkinson 2. Referee—Sutherland. Timer—Bleakley. Attendance—150.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

Sends Message of Thanks to American People

DUBLIN, Feb. 10.—Compared with yesterday's stormy scenes the Irish national convention at its second day's session at the Mansion house today was a very orderly affair. John Dillon, however, drew a hot fire when he opposed a motion to the effect that the Irish language should be among the compulsory subjects for matriculation at the National university. He took the ground that compulsion led to the inference that the people would not study their native language unless compelled to do so. The Gaelic league representatives, however, carried the convention and the resolution was approved. Other resolutions included thanks to the people of America in their generosity in supporting the Irish cause.

MACVEAGH FOR CABINET PLACE

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—As Mr. George M. Reynolds is out of the field for the position of secretary of the treasury, the name of Mr. Franklin MacVeagh of this city will probably be presented to President-elect Taft. Mr. MacVeagh is a prominent merchant of this city but has taken an active interest in politics for many years.

BATTLESHIP IDAHO SAILS

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—The battleship Idaho, one of the ships of the fleet which is to meet and escort into Hampton Roads the 16 battleships now on the last run in their tour of the world, sailed from this port today. The Idaho will proceed out to sea about two days sailing and meet the battleships New Hampshire, Maine and Mississippi. Together these vessels will steam to a point on the 35th parallel about 1000 miles from the coast where the big fleet will be met.

THE NAVY DEPT.

Committee Favors a Measure For Its Reorganization

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Hale, chairman of the committee on naval affairs today reported to the senate a bill making appropriations for the support of the navy. It carries $136,825,193, an increase of $1,075,418 over the amount carried by the bill as it was passed by the house.

No change was made in the item providing for the construction of two twenty-six thousand ton battleships.

The senate provided that no part of the appropriation for the marine corps may be expended unless the corps is continued in service as heretofore on naval vessels.

The recommendation of Secretary Newberry for the appointment of a commission to consider the reorganization of the navy department was adopted by the committee. Some of the court amendments made by the senate committee are as follows:

"The office of vice admiral on the retired list is created which it is understood is in the interest of Rear Admiral Evans." There is also an amendment authorizing the employment of fifteen dental surgeons.

"COUNCIL OF LABOR"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Many prominent labor leaders participated in a "council of labor" at the department of commerce and labor today and discussed questions of vital interest to the wage earners. President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and Commissioner General Keefe of the immigration bureau were among those active at the gathering.

OLD BUILDING

ON CHELMSFORD ST. TO GIVE PLACE TO NEW ONE

Workmen are now engaged in tearing down the old building at the corner of New Fletcher and Chelmsford streets, formerly occupied by the Bancroft Piano Stool company. The land on which the building stands has come into the possession of the Shaw Stocking company, which concern plans to add to its already large plant. The acquisition of this property by the Shaw company gives that concern control of all the land in the square bounded by Chelmsford, New Fletcher, Powell and Shaw streets.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

CHICAGO, Feb. 10. — Remarkable progress in religious education was outlined in a paper read by Prof. Geo. Albert Coe of the Northwestern university at today's session of the convention of the Religious Education association.

The future is no less bright, according to another paper delivered by Henry C. Hill of Oberlin college. The astounding progress of Christianity in the Orient, particularly Japan, during the last fifty years, was dwelt on by Prof. Moore of Harvard university.

W. H. Brown, for some years secretary-treasurer of Lowell Typographical Union, No. 310, has resigned to accept a lucrative position in New York. His place will be taken by Mr. Thomas A. Gallagher.

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NIGHT EDITION

KING EDWARD

First Foreign Monarch to be the Guest of Berlin

BERLIN, Feb. 10.—King Edward, who arrived here yesterday from London and was given a hearty reception by the emperor and people of Berlin, is today enjoying the distinction of being the first foreign monarch who ever has been the guest of the Berlin municipality.

Shortly before noon, his majesty, dressed in the uniform of a Prussian general proceeded in an automobile to the town hall where Mayor Kirschner and the other members of the city government greeted him and escorted him to the public reception hall which was splendidly decorated. Here several hundred persons awaited the king. Among those present were Chancellor Von Buelow.

Foreign Secretary Von Schoen and the other members of the cabinet and all the councilmen and aldermen, with the exception of the city socialists, were also present. The chamber of commerce and the oldest of the merchant guilds were numerously represented.

According to the wish of King Edward no speeches were made. Herr Kirschner asked the king to accept a drink of honor from the city in a golden cup. The mayor's daughter handed him the beaker filled with a rare old wine which the king emptied. His majesty then thanked the mayor for the splendid reception accorded him and added:

"My greatest wish is that the relations of our two countries may always remain of the best."

The king was then escorted by the burgomaster through the principal sections of the town hall. His majesty then proceeded to the British embassy where the ambassador, Sir William Goschen, gave a luncheon in his honor. Previous to this repast his majesty received a deputation from the British colony in Berlin to present him withan address. In reply the king made an important speech which he read from a manuscript. He said among other things:

"The hearty and enthusiastic welcome which the queen and I have met with in Berlin will surely find a grateful echo amongst my people on the other shore of the North Sea, and it will conduce to a consolidation of the friendly feelings between them and the German people for whose culture and progress in the realms of art and music we all have a sincere and warm admiration. You who reside in this fine capital can do much to convince the Germans of the sincerity of your friendship towards them."

Queen Alexandra also was present at the luncheon and the guests included Chancellor Von Buelow and his wife, Foreign Secretary Von Schoen and all the foreign ambassadors in Berlin including David Jane Hill, the American ambassador, and Mrs. Hill.

GOVERNMENT OF CANAL ZONE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—By a vote of 203 to 101 the house today passed the bill which was considered at length yesterday providing for the government of the Panama canal zone and the construction of the canal.

A TAX MEASURE

Relates to Personal Property in R. I.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 10.—The taxation of personal property wherever it can be found in the state, irrespective of the location of the owner's legal residence is the substance of a bill introduced into the legislature today by Rep. George Holmes of Providence. It went to a committee for a hearing, the bill being approved by the city council of Providence. Several taxation measures were introduced by State Walter Reed who in his annual report announced that the financial affairs of the state were in a somewhat embarrassing condition.

MAPLE CLUB REORGANIZED

The Maple social club has reorganized and has changed its name to the Maple Catholic association. The association is now in a very progressive state and is continually improving its spacious rooms. The building is located in Maple street and is under the supervision of the following efficient officers: President, Frederick Hanley; vice-president, Frank Rounc; and financial secretary and treasurer, Jos. Sullivan.

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KILLED HIMSELF

He Did Not Want to Face Expose

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Charles H. Fisher committed suicide by taking carbolic acid at his home last night. He was a member of the board of finance, which two weeks ago purchased for the city a new site for its incineration plant, for $74,000.

The same land had been offered the city recently for $15,000, and the board of aldermen last night appointed a special citizens' committee to investigate the deal.

Just before the city fathers met Fisher ended his life.

He was 46 years old and was agent for the Starin Steamboat company here.

The deal which Fisher, as a member of the board of finance, authorized, has aroused the taxpayers as none in years has done.

WAIVES RIGHTS

WOMAN WILLING TO RETURN TO VERMONT

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Waiving extradition rights, Mrs. Hattie Roy of St. Johnsbury, Vt., who was arrested here last night, charged with the larceny of $2500 from J. L. Peck, a boarder at her home, started for St Johnsbury today in custody of Deputy Sheriff F. F. Harriman of that place. Mrs. Roy declared to the police that Peck gave her the money in question. She said that he had probably forgotten that fact as he was absent-minded and frequently forgot what he had done with his money.

THE TAFT PARTY

PORT EADS, via New Orleans, Feb. 10.—Wireless communication received here today says that Mr. Taft and party are reported 300 miles off the Passes at the mouth of the Mississippi. He is due to arrive at South Pass at midnight.

DEATHS

CLARK—Catherine Clark, wife of Coleman Clark and a well known resident of St. Michael's parish, died today at her home, 1 Roosevelt place, off Coburn street. Besides her husband, she is survived by one daughter, Miss Catherine Clark, and one brother, Alexander McAdams, of Worcester.

A DOUBLE EXECUTION

ALBI, France, Feb 10.—A double execution was carried out publicly in Albi today in the presence of an immense but orderly gathering of people. During the night a crowd of workmen paraded through the streets singing revolutionary songs and crying, "Down with the executioners."

NEW HAVEN ROAD

Will Submit Its Answer to the Legislature Next Week

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Both the state officials and the officials of the New Haven system refused today to discuss the report that the railroad would acknowledge it had erred in purchasing stock of the Boston & Maine railroad, and that the stock of that road would be ordered turned over to some Massachusetts citizen. It was reported, unofficially, that at a conference between Gov. Draper and President Mellen, the latter had agreed to admit that the New Haven road was in the wrong, and that he would ask the company's directors to order that the Boston & Maine stock, 110,000 shares in all, be transferred to some resident of Massachusetts. This stock is now held in the name of John L. Billard of Meriden, Conn. It was admitted at the state house today that Gov. Draper was anxious to settle the long-drawn out merger controversy which has been before the legislature for nearly three years, and which also has the attention of both state and federal courts.

It was expected that the New Haven company would file with the clerk of the Massachusetts house of representatives today its answer to the questions regarding the disposition of its Boston & Maine holdings as well as questions bearing on the state of western Massachusetts trolley lines.

Announcement was made at noon, however, that the answer will be given next week.

The apathy shown yesterday at the opening hearing on six bills affecting the New Haven road was regarded at the state house today as indicating that members of the legislature prefer to have the courts settle it.

MAYOR'S EDICT

To Close Schools on Lincoln Day

The edict has gone forth from the mayor's office, that Friday, Lincoln Day, will be a holiday in Lowell so far as the closing of the schools and city hall are concerned.

The following is a copy of a message received by the city messenger from the mayor this forenoon:

To City Messenger Joseph E. Pattee.

You are hereby directed to inform all department heads that city hall will be closed Friday, February twelfth, Lincoln day, and that it is my desire to have a proper observance of the centenary of the martyred president on the part of the city by the closing of the schools and all municipal departments where there will be no inconvenience or injury to the city's business.

I direct you to have the flags unfurled above all the municipal buildings and schools, from sunrise until noon at half staff, and from noon until sunset at full staff.

It is my desire that Monument Square be decorated in honor of the day, and I instruct you to inform the members of the park commission of my desires in this matter and the advisability of placing flags and bunting upon the monument above the graves of Ladd and Whitney, the two Lowell men who shed the first blood in the great conflict.

Signed,
George H. Brown, Mayor.

AN EARTHQUAKE

ANOTHER SHOCK IN VICINITY OF COLIMA

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 10.—A special despatch says that another earthquake occurred in the vicinity of Colima yesterday. A violent eruption of the volcano followed the quake. A ridge of lava about a mile long is streaming down one side of the volcano. No fatalities have resulted so far as known. The region affected is barren.

AT ST. PETER'S

HOLY NAME SOCIETY TO INSTALL OFFICERS

The Holy Name society of St. Peter's church will hold an important meeting in the fair hall tomorrow evening, at which time the installation of the newly elected officers will take place. The installing officer will be Pres. John J. Coyne, who retires from the head of the organization at the meeting to be succeeded by William F. Daly as president. The exercises attending the installation will be carried out on a fine scale and a big attendance is anticipated.

At this meeting a report from the committee in charge of the entertainment on St. Patrick's night will be presented.

RUBE SMITH KNOCKED OUT

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 10.—With a right cross to the point of the chin, Frank Mantell, a Providence middleweight, knocked out Rube Smith of Denver before the Buffalo A. C. at the old pavilion last night in the twelfth round of a fast fight.

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NOT CONFIRMED

REPORT THAT THE GEORGIA WAS IN COLLISION

GIBRALTAR, Feb. 10.—Reports that the Georgia was in collision with another battleship of the American Atlantic fleet while en route to America, which have been circulated here, are not confirmed. The reports were originally published by Spanish newspapers.

GOT SIX MONTHS

MAN GUILTY OF TRYING TO DEFRAUD RAILWAY

PLYMOUTH, Mass., Feb. 10.—Not since the days of the famous John Reed, the bunco man, has there been such a case in court where a defendant had so many aliases as F. Gordon Wilson, who is wanted for defrauding public service corporations all over the state and in Pennsylvania and New Jersey and who has been doing this business for at least eight years in different parts of the country and nobody has been able yet to discover his real name.

As he had no defence in the case yesterday he was prevailed upon to plead guilty and was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

MAN KILLED

WILLIAM MORSE FELL FROM LOAD OF LOGS

LITTLETON, N. H., Feb. 10.—William Morse was killed under a sled heavily loaded with logs yesterday in North Lisbon. Morse was driving a team for his brother-in-law, James Moulton of Lisbon, and in some unexplainable way he fell under the sled and when discovered was horibly crushed.

Mr. Morse leaves a wife and three brothers and two sisters. The funeral will be Friday.

FREE MUSICALE TONIGHT

The concert in the hall of the women's branch of the People's club, Runnels building, at 7.45 tonight will be entirely free to the public and everybody is invited. It will be directed by Mr. Wilfred Kershaw, and he will be assisted by well known local artists in an excellent program. A concert so fine offered without price to the public is most unusual.

HELD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Frank P. Cogger, son of Patrolman Daniel W. Cogger, observed the 16th anniversary of his birth Monday by entertaining a number of his schoolmates and friends at the home of his parents, 834 Moody street. During the evening young Mr. Cogger was presented a handsome signet ring. Games were played and a musical and literary program carried out. Refreshments were served during the evening.

APPROVE PRESIDENT'S POSITION

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 10.—The church federation of Los Angeles yesterday passed a resolution expressing hearty approval of the action taken by President Roosevelt in regard to proposed Japanese legislation and portesting against any action by the state legislature not in harmony with the general policy of the national government.

CONDITION UNCHANGED

A. C. Wheelock is Resting Comfortably Today

The condition of A. C. Wheelock, who is critically ill at his home in Nesmith street, remains unchanged today, though he is resting comfortably.

Mr. Linson A. DeVoe, superintendent of the Mason Safety Tread Co., is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home, 499 High street.

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"ANANIAS CLUB"

Rep. Rainey Thinks That He Will be Admitted

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Representative Rainey of Illinois whose speech in the house on the famous Panama canal purchase has drawn forth a rebuke from the state department in an official reply to the Panama government.'s protest was inclined today to assume that he had been elected to the "Ananias club." This was based on the statement in Secretary Bacon's letter as to the president's view of Mr. Rainey's speech.

Mr. Rainey made a statement in which he said that he would not expect President Obaldia of Panama or President Roosevelt to agree with him. He added that it is only necessary to arrive at some fact uncomplimentary to the present administration to be elected to the "Ananias club" provided the candidate has the courage to make the facts public.

LATEST PORTRAIT

Of Edward the King of England

LONDON, Feb. 10.—King Edward of England is making the first visit to Berlin since his coronation. The visit

is regarded as being politically important, and all the German newspapers are commenting on it, and it is believed it will effect good in the relations of the two empires.

STEAMER LOST

SIXTY OF THE PASSENGERS AND CREW SAVED

CASTELLON, Spain, Feb. 10.—The steamer America has been wrecked off the coast of this province. Sixty passengers and crew were saved. The nationality of the vessel is still in doubt.

WEST POINT

MOVE TO INCREASE NUMBER OF CADETS NOT APPROVED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The military academy appropriation bill was completed today by the house committee on military affairs. The bill carried approximately $3,000,000 when reported to the house.

The item of $1,700,000 for new buildings at the academy was included in the bill, but the proposal to increase the number of cadets was not approved.

UP AGAINST IT

"JACK" PRINCE WORKS "PHONY" DEAL IN NEW JERSEY

"Jack" Prince, the well known track builder and promoter of bicycle racing, who erected the coliseum in Lakeview avenue, this city, several years ago, and one night skipped by the light of the moon, much to the disappointment of a number of creditors, is in trouble again, and this time it is with the National Cycling association, and unless the only Jack comes to the front and adjusts matters satisfactory to the association he will get the hook, so far as bicycle racing and track building are concerned.

Prince erected a track in Paterson, N. J., which he named the Clifton Stadium and later sold it to the Stadium Amusement Co., which imagined it was purchasing a permanent franchise. The purchasers, who are new to the racing game, and who were at that time unacquainted with the methods of Prince & Eck, discovered that the latter sold them a franchise which they did not possess. It also is claimed that the franchise of the Newark track embraces the territory upon which the Clifton track is located. In view of this fact it was voted to give the Stadium Amusement Co. a conditional franchise. The condition is that only professional motor-paced and amateur races are to be held on the Clifton Stadium Sundays and holidays, so as not to interfere with the running of the sprint card at the Newark Velodrome. Mr. Bloemecke and Mr. Finkel both stated that they would co-operate with each other during the coming season for the good of all concerned.

Unless Jack Prince settles his obligations before a date to be determined by the chairman of the board of control, he will be laid on the shelf indefinitely. Prince's case came up for discussion on the complaints of several riders and others that he had not fulfilled obligations assumed during the Trenton and Paterson abbreviated six-day meets. Prince will be given a certain time to settle and unless this is done he will be restrained from further operations.

SNATCHED PURSE

But Woman Felled Alleged Robber

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Mrs. C. E. Carpenter, who lives in the Robert Fulton apartments at 230 Riverside Drive, while on her way home at about 7 o'clock last night turned into the Drive from Ninety-fifth street and was confronted by a youth who struck her a blow on the face. The street was slippery from snow and both Mrs. Carpenter and her assailant fell to the street.

The young man fell beneath but he got up quickly and snatching Mrs. Carpenter's handbag he started to run through Riverside Park toward the railroad yards. Mrs. Carpenter's screams were heard by half a dozen persons, among them Samuel Fox, superintendent of the Robert Fulton, and Henry Danker, a grocery clerk. Danker was close to the fugitive's heels when he ran into the railroad yards and the latter turned and threw the handbag into Danker's face. This stopped Danker long enough for the man to get away. The handbag, which contained money and jewels, was returned to Mrs. Carpenter.

There was another purse snatching on Riverside Drive on Monday night. Miss Pearl Alexander, a settlement worker and daughter of a Fifth avenue furrier, who lives in the Irving Arms, Ninety-fourth street and the Drive, was robbed of her handbag in the same way. Other robberies have been reported recently. The proximity of this neighborhood to the railroad yards gives thieves an opportunity, and for this reason a request will be made to Commissioner Bingham for additional police protection.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

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NEW YORK STOCKS

Atchison	99⅝
Am. Beet Sugar	24½
Am. Cotton Oil	50¾
Am. Car Foundry	50½
*Amalgamated	77⅛
Am. Sugar	130½
Am. Smelt. & Ref. Co.	87¼
Louisville & Nashville	124
Anaconda	46¾
Am. Ice Co.	21⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	71
Canadian Pac	172¾
Chepapeake & Ohio	66⅝
Colorado Fuel	39¾
Distillers' Securities	37⅛
Erie	31⅝
Erie 1st	46
Great Northern pfd	141¼
Great Western	7½
Illinois Central	142½
Int. Steam Pump	38¼
Interboro Railway	16
Interboro Railway pfd	44¾
Mexican Central	22
Missouri Pac	72¾
Missouri, Kansas & T pfd	74½
No. Pac.	138⅝
New York Central	126¾
New York Airbrake	89½
Norfolk	91½
Ont. & Western	47⅝
Penn	132
Pacific Mail	30½
Pressed Steel Car	41⅜
Reading	131¾
Railway Steel Spring	50⅝
Rock Island	25⅛
Rock Island pfd	64¾
So. Railway	25¾
U. S. Steel pfd	113¾
Union Pac.	178
So. Pac	118
Tenn. Copper	49⅞
U. S. Rubber	32
People's Gas	110
W. U. T.	68
Westinghouse	82

BOSTON STOCKS

Am. Pneumatic	8¼
Am. T. & T.	128⅞
Boston Cons	14
Cent	33½
Butte	24⅞
Granby	101
Greene Can	10½
La Salle	11⅞
Isle Royale	31⅞
Mass. Electric	13¾
Mass. Electric pfd	65⅞
Mass. Gas	65
Mass Gas pfd	92¾
Mass. Mining	5½
Miami	14
North Butte	75⅝
Osceola	135½
Old Dominion	53
Parrott	29¾
Quincy	90½
Shannon	15⅝
United Fruit ex-rights	128
Utah	41
Western pfd	94¾
Trinity	15¾

*Ex-dividend.

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TEXTILE NOTES

Interesting Items From Mill Centres

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Creditors of the International Lace Manufacturing Co. of Ogdensburg have received their final dividend of $1785. This makes the total dividends about 5 per cent. The bankrupt firm's liabilities were $500,000, claims of about $250,000 being proved. The plant at Gouverneur is now operated by a Philadelphia corporation.

MILL FOR VALLEY FORGE

NORRISTOWN, Pa., Feb. 10.—A Philadelphia textile company has leased the old mill at Valley Forge and is making alterations preparatory to installing machinery. The new tenants are makers of woolen yarns and have large plants in Philadelphia and Camden. They will employ two or three hundred hands. It is expected that the plant will be ready for operation about July 1.

MAY BUY MUSKINGUM PLANT

ZANESVILLE, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Dresden parties are considering the proposition to purchase the plant of the Muskingum Valley Woolen Manufacturing Co., and have intimated their intentions to C. T. Marshall, the trustee. If the deal goes through the plant will be put in operation.

NEW SILK MILL STARTED

PATERSON, N. J., Feb. 10.—Work has been started by the P. S. Van Kirk Co. on a new mill for the Prescott-Waywell Co. The structure will be a modern building and is to cost $13,000. The site is on Graham avenue.

NIGHT SHIFT OF SIXTY

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Feb. 10.—Beginning Monday, the Scotia Worsted Co.'s mill will run day and night. At present the plant is running to capacity with the day force. The new schedule will give employment to 60 additional operatives.

TO REOPEN MILL

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 10.—The Magnolia Mills Co. of Concord has placed an order for 2000 spindles and other equipment and will place in operation again the old Lippard mill, which was abandoned recently, its equipment being added to that of Magnolia mill No. 1.

TO ADD 25,000 SPINDLES

COLUMBIA, S. C., Feb. 10.—Arrangements are to be made at once by the Woodside cotton mills at Greenville, for the addition of 25,000 spindles and 700 looms. The present plant operates 45,000 spindles and 1100 looms.

IMPROVING INMAN MILL

on the production of print cloth. Probably $500,000 will be expended on the new equipment.

SPARTANBURG, S. C., Feb. 10.—Improvements are being made on the cotton mill at Inman, an extension being added which when completed will double the capacity of the plant. The Inman has had considerable success under the management of James A. Chapman, the president.

MILL DOUBLES CAPITAL

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Feb. 10.—The capital stock of the Mooresville cotton mill has been raised from $200,000 to $400,000. The company runs a plant of 27,900 spindles and 806 looms on the production of sheeting and domets.

GREAT DAMAGE

WAS DONE BY THE STORM IN MICHIGAN

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Snow and high winds, reaching blizzard proportions in many places, prevailed yesterday in Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, the Dakotas and part of Michigan.

South Dakota points report that the railroads are all blocked. In North Dakota a fierce storm is coming from the north and before morning will be sweeping the state. Railroads in the other affected states are having trouble because of heavy snow drifts.

Menominee, Mich., reports that hundreds of dollars of damage has been done there by the blizzard. Local traffic there is almost at a standstill.

MAN DROWNED

WHILE TRYING TO SAVE GIRL FRIEND

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 10.—Refusing to leave his girl friend to her fate, Albert M. Heimsath, 26 years of age, of Cleveland, O., president of the senior class of the Young Men's Christian Association training school, in this city, perished last night while endeavoring to save her from drowning. The young woman, Miss Gertrude Hurd, 19 years of age, of Springfield, also lost her life.

Heimsath and Miss Hurd went skating on Watershops pond, near the school grounds, early in the evening. There were few skaters on the pond, as the ice had been in an uncertain condition for several days, and when both broke through, no one was close by to give aid. The young woman fell into the water, and apparently sank, but Heimsath regained his footing and could have easily saved himself.

Headless of danger, however, he returned to the assistance of Miss Hurd. The ice crumbled under him, and left him struggling in the water. Before aid reached the couple life was extinct. The bodies were recovered.

INVENTOR DIED SUDDENLY

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Thomas Oliver, inventor of the Oliver typewriter, died suddenly yesterday of heart disease, while waiting with his wife at a railway station to start for Pine Bluffs, Ark., to test a cotton picking machine which he had recently invented and which he declared would revolutionize the cotton industry.

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THE WORST YET

The Storm That Raged in Colorado

DENVER, Feb. 10.—The storm that raged throughout Colorado for the last 24 hours was one of the worst experienced in the state. Never before have the railroads been so blockaded by snow and slides. The passes through the Rocky Mountains are nearly all blocked, and traffic over the Denver & Rio Grande and Colorado & Midland is almost suspended. Thirteen snow slides are reported between Durango and Silverton and the Georgetown line of the Colorado & Southern is closed. Rio Grande east bound train No. 6 at the Utah line two days ago is again blocked at Shoshone, the slide there descending but two minutes before the arrival of the train.

Lake City has been without a train for two days and is running out of fuel. The Colorado & Midland tracks are blocked by a big slide at Sellar.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of the Samuel H. Hines lodge, Knights of Pythias, was held last night and considerable business was transacted during the evening. The attendance was very large owing to the fact that the annual roll call was held. The lodge voted to entertain Black Prince lodge of Lawrence on February 23, and there will be a supper and entertainment in the evening. The lodge plans to have every member possible attend. During the evening remarks were made by all the brothers present.

Garfield colony, United Order of Pilgrim Fathers, held its regular meeting last night. The 27th anniversary of the colony is to be observed next Tuesday in an informal way by the members, at the close of the regular session. A whist party is to be held on Saturday evening, February 13.

Court Merrimack, F. of A., met in regular session in Grafton hall last night, Chief Ranger James J. Spillane presiding. There were seven applications for membership and one new member was admitted. The report of the auditing committee for the last quarter showed that the court is in a flourishing condition. The arbitration committee to serve during the ensuing term was appointed by the chief ranger. The lecturer of the court is preparing a series of entertainments to take place at the close of each meeting. During last night's session remarks for the welfare of the order were made by James Keefe, Frank V. King, Michael Corcoran, Joseph Dallagher and Thomas C. Mooney. The court is arranging for a large class initiation to take place in the near future.

WENT ASHORE

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The report of a four masted schooner ashore on Hen and Chickens shoal abreast of Cape Penlopen at the entrance of Delaware bay was received by wireless here today. The schooner was apparently in a dangerous position flying signals of distress and calling for immediate assistance. The grounded vessels position is in the vicinity of Cape Penlopen lifesaving station.

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Yard wide cotton, good and heavy quality. Marion price 6c yard .... At 4c Yard

Full yard wide cotton, good fine quality. Marion price 7c yard .... At 5c Yard

1 lot of 36 inches Lockwood cotton in remnants. Marion price 8c yard .... At 6c Yard

40 inches cotton. Marion price 8c yard..... At 5c Yard

40 inches brown cotton, very fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 6½c Yard

40 inches wide cotton, Dwight quality. Marion price 11c. At 8c Yard

Bleached Cotton

Yard wide bleached cotton in large remnants, good soft finish. Marion price 7c yard.......... At 5c Yard

Yard wide bleached cotton in half pieces, nice fine quality. Marion price 8c yard .... At 6¼c Yard

Good fine cotton, yard wide, nice and soft quality. Marion price 10c yard.......... At 8c Yard

Langdon 76-inch cotton, best family cotton made. Marion price 11c yard .... At 9c Yard

Langdon G. B. cotton in half pieces. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

Pride of the West cotton, finest cotton made. Marion price 15c yard .... At 11½c Yard

42-inch pillow casing cotton. Marion price 11c yard. At 7c Yard

Dwight pillow casing cotton. Marion price 15c yard. At 11c Yard

Dwight 45-inch tubing in remnants. Marion price 17c. At 13½c Yard

Lawn, Nainsook and Long Cloth

Fine white lawn in half pieces, nice fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 7c Yard

40-inch white lawn, good fine quality. Marion price 10c yard .... At 8c Yard

Nainsook remnants for fine underwear. Marion price 12½c .... At 9c Yard

Very fine nainsook and long cloth, nice soft finish and very fine quality. Marion price 20c yard. At 13½c Yard

Very fine India and Victoria lawn. Marion price 25c yard .... At 18c Yard

Blankets and Bed Spreads

10-4 cotton blankets, full size, white, gray and striped. Marion price 59c pair .... At 50c Pair

Gray and white cotton blankets, full 11-4 size, good heavy blankets with warm tick, fleeced. Marion price $1.00 pair .... At 75c Pair

Wool blankets, good size, heavy quality. Marion price $2.00 pair.......... At $1.39 Pair

11-4 wool blankets, double and single, good and warm. Marion price $4.00 pair .... At $2.39 Pair

Full size 11-4 wool blankets, very fine quality, made of California wool. Marion price $4.00 pair. At $2.75 Pair

Crashes and Table Damask

Twill cotton toweling, woven selvage. Marion price 5c yard .... At 4c Yard

Stark toweling, nice linen finish. Marion price 6¼c yard. At 5c Yard

All linen crash, brow nand bleached. Marion price 10c yard .... At 8½c Yard

Huck towels, nice soft quality and very obsorbent. Marion price 10c each .... At 7½c Each

Large huck towels, good heavy towels. Marion price 12½c .... At 9c, 3 for 25c

Turkey red table damask. Marion price 25c yard. At 17c Yard

Bleached table damask, all new patterns. Marion price 25c yard .... At 19c Yard

Mercerized table damask, very fine quality. Marion price 50c yard .... At 33c Yard

70 inches all linen damask, very fine quality in handsome design. Marion price 75c yard...... At 50c Yard

Bates' Turkey red damask. Marion price 50c yard. At 35c Yard

Flannels

Bleached domet flannels, nice soft fleeced. Marion price 8c yard .... At 5c Yard

Domet flannel, nice warm quality. Marion price 10c yard. At 6½c Yard

Bleached domet flannel, good heavy twill quality. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

White wool flannel, nice fine quality. Marion price 25c yard .... At 15c Yard

Dress Goods and Suiting

56-inch suiting, dark and medium colors, worsted and all wool. Marion prices $1.00 and $1.25 yard. At 50c Yard

50c and 75c dress goods, cashmere, mohair, henrietta plaid, etc. Marion prices 50c and 75c yard. At 25c Yard

Dress goods, odd pieces, plain, fancy stripes and plaid. Marion prices 25c and 39c yard..... At 12½c Yard

Gingham

Apron gingham, blue checks, in all sizes, good quality. Marion price 7c yard .... At 4c Yard

Otis gingham, checks and stripes, 30 inches wide. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 8c Yard

Bates' gingham in checks, stripes and plain with side bands. Marion price 12½c yard .... At 9c Yard

Waists and Wrappers

Ladies' wrappers made of good percale, odd lots. Marion price $1.00 each .... At 59c Each

Ladies' wrappers, made of fine percale and flannelette. Marion price $1.25 each .... At 75c Each

1 lot of mill waists, made of gingham and colored lawn, slightly soiled. Marion price 50c each..At 10c Each

1 lot of ladies' waists, made of all wool flannelette, nicely trimmed. Marion price $1.00 .... At 25c Each

Ladies' white lawn waists, nicely trimmed. Marion price $1.00 each .... At 49c Each

Ladies' white lawn and fine batiste waists, all this season's designs, well trimmed. Marion price $1.25, At 79c

Corset Covers, made of good fine cloth. Marion price 25c .... At 17c

Corset Covers, made of good fine nainsook, well trimmed. Marion price 50c .... At 35c

1 Lot of Walking Skirts, made of good wool material. Marion prices $2.00 and $3.00 .... At $1.00 Each

Linen Suits. Marion price $5.00 .... At $1.00 Suit

Ladies' Corsets. Marion price 50c pair.... At 25c Pair

Corsets, W. B. P. N., etc. Marion price $1.00 pair. At 59c Pair

$1.50 and $2.00 Corsets, all good style .... At $1.00

Hosiery and Underwear

Ladies' cotton, odd lots of 10c value......... At 3c Pair

Ladies' black cotton hose, double soles, 12½c value. At 7½c Pair

Ladies' plain and lace hose, black and tan. Marion price 25c pair .... At 15c Pair

Boys' Ribbed hose, odd lot of 10c quality.... At 6¼ Pair

Boys' heavy ribbed hose, fine and coarse ribbed, in all sizes. Marion price 19c pair.......... At 10c Pair

Ladies' and misses' all wool hose, plain and ribbed. Marion price 25c pair .... At 15c Pair

Ladies' heavy fleeced hose, ribbed top, spliced heel and toe. Marion price 25c pair.......... At 15c Pair

Ladies' ribbed vests made of fine mercerized yarn, 25c value .... At 5c Each

Ladies' and Misses' fleeced underwear, nice fine jersey. Marion price 25c .... At 19c

Children's winter underwear. Marion price 25c. At 12½c

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's heavy cotton hose. Marion price 10c pair. At 7½c Pair

Men's black cotton hose, fine quality, double soles, 12½c value .... At 9c Pair, 3 for 25c

Men's merino hose, black, natural and camel's hair. Marion price 12½c pair .... At 9c Pair

Men's all wool hose, black and natural wool only. Marion price 25c pair .... At 12½c pair

Men's fine cashmere hose, very fine quality. Marion price 25c pair .... At 15c Pair

Men's jersey ribbed underwear, good heavy garment, blue, brown and ecru. Marion price 50c .....At 29c Each

Men's Wool Underwear, camel's hair and natural. Marion price $1.00 .... At 59c

Men's Neglige Shirts, all new patterns, made of good madras and cheviots. Marion price 59c......At 39c

Men's Fancy Braces, made of good web, leather end and cast of. Marion price 25c.......... At 15c Pair

COAT SWEATERS AT HALF PRICE

$1.00 value at 49c
$1.25 value at 79c
$1.50 value at $1.00

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St. Patrick's Choir Gave Grand Minstrel Olio

The minstrel olio and dancing party given last evening by the members of St. Patrick's church choir under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Patrick's church was a most gratifying success in every particular. For several weeks a number of talented ladies and gentlemen of the parish have been rehearsing for a grand minstrel show, and last night one of the largest audiences that ever assembled in Associate hall witnessed the best event of this kind that has ever been seen in this city for years. The grand opening chorus was by the entire company which consisted of fifty voices, with Mr. M. J. Johnson as director and pianist, accompanied by the Middlesex orchestra. The end men were very funny, and John McNabb, the local "Dockstader" acted as Tambo, with John J. Murray as bones, and Daniel S. O'Brien as interlocuter. Miss Bagley was the black faced end lady, and some of the professionals would have to go speedy to beat Miss Bagley in her song, "I want to be loved like a leading lady." Her gestures and walk made a hit and she scored a great big success. Miss McQuillan was the other end lady, and her singing of "Mandy Lane" caused roars of laughter. The comedy part by the other end men and ladies and the many timely local hits were rich sallies of wit and humor and were greatly enjoyed by the immense audience.

The musical program was composed of songs of other days, which were gems and will never grow old. The ballad, "When We're Together" by Mr. William B. Ready was sung in his usual rich tenor voice. Miss Moran sang a solo that was one of the hits of the evening. The artistic manner in which she rendered the solo brought great applause. Another solo well worthy of mention was "Heart of My Heart" by Andrew McCarthy, the baritone singer of St. Patrick's church choir. It certainly showed that he possesses a rich baritone voice and his singing was most enjoyable. Miss F. Tighe sang a solo entitled "Because" in a most exquisite manner and was heartily received. The quartet work in the songs of other days, taking in some of the old Southern melodies was very well received. The entire company is equal to any other local amateur musical organization.

The great share of praise for this successful affair should be given to Mr. Michael J. Johnson, organist of St. Patrick's church.

The program:

Opening chorus ....The Company
Arranged by M. J. Johnson.
End song, "Broke"....John J. McNabb
Ballads, "Silver Threads Among the Gold" ....Master Connelly
a "Down Where My Love Lies Dreaming."
b—"So Did I."
Male Quartet
Solo ....Miss H. Moran
End song, "I Want to Be Loved Like a Leading Lady".........Miss Bagley
Chorus, "Greeting to Spring," The Company
Ballad, "When We're Together," Mr. Wm. B. Ready
End song, "Mandy Lane" Miss McQuillan
Ballad, "Heart of My Heart," Andrew McCarthy
Old Songs—(a) "Lily Dale," (b) "Kentucky Home," (c) "Darling Nellie Gray," (d) "Dreaming of Home and Mother"........Quartet and Chorus
Solo, "Because"........Miss F. Tighe
End song, "The Meanest Man in Town"................Mr. J. Murray
Finale, "Onward".......The Company

Stage manager, Mr. T. F. Rohan; dramatic director, Mr. John Quinn. Middlesex orchestra.

After the olio which lasted for an hour and a half the seats were removed and in a short while the sweet strains of the orchestra were heard and it is unnecessary to say that it was a continual whirl of merriment until midnight.

The affair was under the general direction of the following people: General manager, Daniel S. O'Brien; assistant general manager, Thomas Mahoney, Jr.; floor director, Thomas J. O'Donnell; assistant floor director, Andrew McCarthy; chief aid, John J. Queenan; aids, Smith J. Adams, John F. Adams, Thomas Bassett, Frank Brady, M. D., William Barry, John P. Curley, John J. Carroll, John H. Donovan, M. D., John Doyle, John J. Maher, John H. Murphy, John McCarthy, James O'Rourke, David O'Brien, Maurice Powers, Timothy Rohan, Thomas B. Smith, M. D., Andrew A. Smith, Fred Welch, George E. Ward, J. H. Flaherty, John J. McNabb, John F. Golden, Frank O'Sullivan, M. D., James E. O'Donnell, George P. Green, John B. Crowley, Charles W. Holmes, Edward J. McCarthy, James O'Flahavan, Walter Flynn, Joseph A. Green, James F. Gaffney, M. D., Joseph Gilley, John J. Keegan, James H. Kelley, Patrick Keyes, William J. Enwright, T. J. Halloran, M. D., J. E. Leary, M.D., Charles L. Marren, John J. Sullivan, James T. O'Hearn, Henry I. Rourke, William R. Ready, Thomas Murphy, Edward F. Saunders, Harry L. Timmons, John J. Walsh, D. D. S., Thomas B. Rafter, Harold E. Plunkett, M. D., Patrick J. Meehan, M. D., John F. Meehan, Cornelius F. Doyle, James J. Brown, Timothy F. McCarthy, James J. Cassidy, M. D., Stephen Kearney, Humphrey Coffey, Florence J. Murphy, Dennis Murphy.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

King Edward goes over to Germany to assure the kaiser that England has nothing but the sincerest friendship for the German emperor and his people

A LIFE SAVING MEASURE.

President Roosevelt has outlined a marine safety measure, which, if made law, will undoubtedly be instrumental in saving many lives at sea. The measure provides for wireless apparatus and operators on certain vessels, for life-boats that can be launched in two minutes, for the proper inspection of all steamer and motor vessels carrying passengers, and of all sailing vessels of 300 tons or over. It provides also that no officer is to be placed in charge of the deck of any vessel who has not been off duty at least four hours before taking such watch. This provision is intended to prevent accidents through over-working certain members of the crew so that they become exhausted and are liable to go to sleep or are otherwise incapable of performing their duties properly. Such a measure cannot fail to be of vast utility in preventing disasters if properly applied to the vessels that carry passengers.

THE LATE JOHN B. MORAN.

The late John B. Moran had a great many friends, political and otherwise, who will sincerely regret his untimely death. Mr. Moran, although severely criticized on his attitude on some public questions, had long been admired as a friend of the masses and one who never lost an opportunity to help aspiring young men with whom he came in contact. It is related of him that he had a stack of promissory notes from young men to whom he advanced money for the purpose of assisting them in an effort to better their condition. It is somewhat of a reflection upon the young men, however, that Mr. Moran himself admitted he could never collect any of this money. The fact that he advanced it in the first place proved the sincerity of his desire to help others. It proved that he was not entirely selfish. He was an aggressive politician, erratic in many points, it is true, but he was handicapped by physical weakness. The work of his campaign for governor weighed heavily upon his health and hastened the progress of the disease which finally caused his death.

IS IT A DOG-IN-THE-MANGER POLICY?

We notice that the American Woolen company sets a very high price upon the Shaw Machine plant, on being questioned by the board of trade as to the amount for which the plant could be purchased. The price set is $150,000, whereas the assessed value is $51,250.

We do not believe that the Shaw plant would sell for its assessed value in the open market at the present time, and hence it appears the American Woolen company sets this high figure upon it, in order to prevent another industry from starting there.

This practically settles one point, to wit: that the American Woolen company will find no purchaser at that price. If the plant be worth that sum to the company, we should expect to see the plant turning out woolen machinery to be shipped to every part of the globe.

The American Woolen company must have some intention of starting business there or it would never ask any such exorbitant price for the plant. Let us hope it will start business without delay. We should hate to believe that this large price is asked in pursuance of a dog-in-the manger policy.

THE CHARITY BOARD.

We are inclined to approve the action of the committee on appropriations in its endeavor to keep down the amount appropriated for the city farm.

If during a panic year when practically all the industries of Lowell curtailed from one-fourth to one-half, either in time or the number of men employed, the demands upon the department were fully and satisfactorily met by $86,000, it would be reasonable to assume that this year the ordinary demands of the department could be taken care of under conservative management for the sum of $70,000.

It is useless to hope for any saving in this department unless through the wise administration and careful management of the charity board.

The record of the board that has been removed is one that has few parallels in the history of our city. It shows to what an extent a number of business men can save money in running a department simply by the exercise of good judgment and by a desire at all times while discharging their full duty to the poor, to protect at the same time the interests of the city.

Not only did the board of charity, recently removed from office, save about $90,000 in three years, but it greatly increased the amount of money derived from the products of the farm.

Following are the amounts expended upon the pauper department from 1897 to 1908 inclusive, the last three years showing the record of the board which Mayor Brown has driven out of office:

1897	105,623.13	1903	145,290.68
1898	108,880.42	1904	124,728.04
1899	114,308.78	1905	117,416.73
1900	112,206.74	1906	96,262.71
1901	121,203.19	1907	$1,351.22
1902	127,419.16	1908	$6,000.00

The figures for the last three years indicate a remarkable saving as a result of the careful application of business principles. It is a record that the new board will find it difficult to equal. Indeed we are doubtful whether any board can show a better record of economy and wise management under adverse conditions than that which is presented by the figures just quoted.

It might be supposed that the board adopted a very penurious policy towards the worthy poor, but such was not the case. The deserving poor were well taken care of and every dollar was applied to the best advantage in relieving distress. It is a remarkable testimonial to the business ability, not only of the board but its clerical secretary, Mr. Martin J. Courtney.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

The second of the Sunday concerts at the opera house will be given next Sunday evening commencing at 6 o'clock and running continuously until 10.30. A bigger and better program will be offered than ever before seen at this house at the prices. All seats will be ten cents.

"THE END OF THE TRAIL"

"The End of the Trail," was seen at the opera house again last night by a good sized audience. The piece deals with life in the southwest, having the old Santa Fe as its locale and presenting picturesque incidents in the development of that region. Sensations are worked into the drama and novelties in the way of scenic equipment, are promised. The last performance of this play here will be given tonight.

YIDDISH PLAYERS

Lovers of drama will have a chance to see acting which is rarely seen during the coming engagement of the Edwin A. Relkin all-star Yiddish company, headed by the most celebrated Yiddish actress Mme. Kenny Lipzin, which makes its appearance at the opera house on Thursday night, Feb. 11, in one of the greatest successes of the Yiddish stage. This play has been presented at one of the prominent theatres in New York City where it had a run of over 300 consecutive nights and scored one of the most successful hits, artistically as well as financially, that was ever known to the Yiddish theatres. The company will be seen in the best Yiddish drama, "Mirele Efros," ("The Jewish Queen Lear") written specially for Mme. Kenny Lipzin by the most eminent Yiddish playwright Mr. Jacob Gordin. Mme. Kenny Lipzin, the leading lady of this company, is the best Yiddish tragedienne of the Jewish stage, one which is rarely seen on any stage.

"THE MAN OF THE HOUR"

Theatregoers who have been reading so much for the past year of "The Man of the Hour" will again have an opportunity of seeing Wm. A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer's production at the opera house on Friday and Saturday, Feb. 12 and 13, with the special company of players and complete scenic production as seen on its former visit.

In the New York Evening Telegram, in the review of "The Man of the Hour," the writer says: "Not since the days of 'The Senator,' has a play been presented with such brilliant promise of success as 'The Man of the Hour.'" The other New York newspapers in their reviews were equally fulsome.

FRANKIE CARPENTER COMPANY

The ever popular Frankie Carpenter company will open a week's engagement of six matinees and six evening performances at the opera house next Monday, Feb. 15, when the opening bill will be "Spangles and the Preacher." All the plays this season have been selected with the same care that has always placed this company in the front rank as refined entertainers who always have the best on the road. High class specialties add much to the performances and are presented between the acts by talented artists. The plays are presented under the personal supervision of Jere Grady which is a guarantee of their excellency, and the company this season is one of the strongest, cleanest, brightest and most popular now traveling. Ladies' tickets opening night 15 cents each if purchased in advance.

VICTOR MOORE

When Geo. M. Cohan puts his nimble brain at work upon a play no one need fear that that wonderful piece of mechanism is going to miscarry. So, when the young author fixed up his latest concoction, labelled it "The Talk of New York," and handed it over to Victor Moore, who will be seen in that particular play at the opera house, Friday, Feb. 19, coming direct from the Tremont theatre, Boston, it is not likely that one in a hundred suffered a thought that it would do otherwise than "go."

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PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—An international marriage of importance, that of Miss Elizabeth L. Cochran of Philadelphia and Count Georges de Fermon of France, will take place at the home of the bride on Feb. 16. Miss Cochran's family is wealthy, and the count is one of the best known men in Paris. He is a nephew of Marquis Chapelle and a brother of Charles Fermon, both members of the chamber of deputies.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A good clean moral show within the price of all and a big attraction for the money is what the management of the Academy offers the public at its theatre. The picture show is the latest and almost popular form of entertainment and Messrs Toomey and Demara, managers of the Academy, were among the first in New England to take it up. They have made big success of this line of entertainment in other cities and are bound to repeat their previous successes at the Academy. Through their close acquaintance with all the leading film manufacturers they are enabled to get all the latest and best in motion photography and all the pictures shown at the Academy are new to Lowell while some have made almost their initial appearance in this city. The daily program consists of four reels of pictures including from five to seven complete pictures on varied subjects, two illustrated songs and a series of beautiful and instructive views of the world around us known as "Travellettes." The entire program, pictures, songs and views, is changed three times weekly, Tuesday, Friday and Sunday. The performances run daily with no omissions of program from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 10.30. The price of admission is but 5 cents and an admission includes a good seat while a few orchestra seats are reserved at 5 cents extra, so that the highest priced seat in the theatre is but 10 cents. It is the biggest, newest and best show ever offered in Lowell for the money. There are no "bad" weeks for every program offered is good.

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HATHAWAY THEATRE

Taylor Granville's engrossing melodrama "The Star Bout," on view at Hathaway's theatre, this week, is the biggest kind of a whirlwind success. It enlists the services of nearly 40 persons and has a special cast of 11. It is one of the great big acts of vaudeville today, and it tells the story of a young prize fighter who gets his tryout in the ring and who whips the champion of the world, incidentally learning the girl who is true blue to him. "The Goslin," is the nom de guerre of the little fighter, while "Kid Spangles," is the scrapper who wanted the bout to be crooked. Four fast rounds are pushed through and the "mill" proves highly realistic. Harry Sullivan and Frank Dickson are the two bantam weight fighters, and Tom Ward makes an ideal restaurant keeper with an interest in pugilism. Sara Baron is the real sweet girl, and Maidie Harrison is the girl who has a fondness for fighters when they have the coin.

Lawrence Crane is the second feature act of the bill, and he more than proves his title of "wizard." Nothing more mystifying than his trunk trick has ever been seen here. His illusion of "Cremation" is also wonderfully engrossing. Besides these he has numberless minor tricks which prove that he is a subtle illusionist. He is assisted in his act by May Crawford and the cutest of pickaninnies. Other acts on this bill of distinction are: Josephine Branta, singer; Smith & Smythe, duo of singing comedians; Jessica Lewers and Ada Mitchell, in comedy and music; the Raven Trio, equilibrists; the Daleys, roller skaters, and the Hathascope.

Performances will be given every afternoon and evening during the remainder of the week.

STAR THEATRE

An orchestra composed of the most efficient musicians, including a violinist, has been engaged by the management of the Star theatre, where an entertainment of unusual excellence is given for five cents, which allows seats. New pictures headed by the talking picture "The Merchant of Venice," were shown today. Tomorrow a new talking picture "In Old Arizona," will be shown.

THEATRE LA SCALA

It is the aim of every member of a motion picture theatre to offer his patrons a program of the highest quality and at the same time to give them the greatest variety. What pleases one person does not please his neighbor but in the program which they offer today, the management of the Theatre La Scala have one that is criticism proof. Two comedies "A Put Up Job," and "Willie's Water Sprinkler" are sure fire laugh producers and their comedy is bright, clean and novel. "The Nurse's Romance" is a story picture with a new plot, one that holds the attention from start to finish and shows two phases of the feminine character that have not before been shown on the screen. The brawney countryman, handsome and uneducated, the simple country maid whose heart is given to him and the dashing city woman who fascinates and then casts her victim aside form a triangle which results in a thrilling and dramatic story. The songs are great, notibly "If Your Heart Is Right You Can't Do Me a Wrong."

POMONA CLUB

HELD PRETTY PARTY IN PRESCOTT HALL

The Pomona club held a pretty dancing party in Prescott hall last evening, exclusively for members and invited guests, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable of the season. The hall was neatly decorated by Florist Collins. In one corner of the hall a beautiful cosy corner was presided over by the following matrons: Mrs. Thomas F. Gibbons, Mrs. William O'Brien, Mrs. John McArdle and Mrs. J. W. Cowey. Kittredge's orchestra furnished music for an order of twenty numbers and at intermission refreshments were served by the Page company. The officers were: General manager, Elliott F. Wood; assistant, Edward A. Lang; floor director, Bernard F. McArdle; assistant floor director, Howard W. Wood; chief aid, John J. Kelley.

GLADSTONE CLUB

Gave Interesting Boxing Program

The Gladstone club held an exhibition last evening which was an interesting forerunner of the good things to come. Some 200 members turned out at the meeting and they enjoyed a program of five lively sparring bouts. Martin Flaherty, the physical director of the club was master of ceremonies, Joe Costello officiated as referee and Al. Delmont of Boston, bantam weight champion, held the watch, Delmont will appear before the club on February 22, (Washington's Birthday), against the best bantam that can be secured. The program opened with four good rounds by Sullivan and Merrill, Sullivan getting the decision on points. Johnson and Callahan then went at it for four rounds with honors even. Joe Plourde, the wrestler who has recently gone in for boxing, tried them on with Young Kelly, and received a little experience. One round satisfied Joe. Podge Murphy, the Adonis of the local ring went four with Jack O'Hara, and found him a foeman worthy of his mitt for O'Hare showed Podge several little things about the business. The referee called it a draw. The main event was between George Loucroft and Bob Smith who furnished a spirited climax for the exhibition, Loucraft getting the blue ribbon of victory.

The next meeting will be next Tuesday, while a special meeting will be held on Washington's birthday. The gymnasium will soon be fitted up with apparatus and shower baths.

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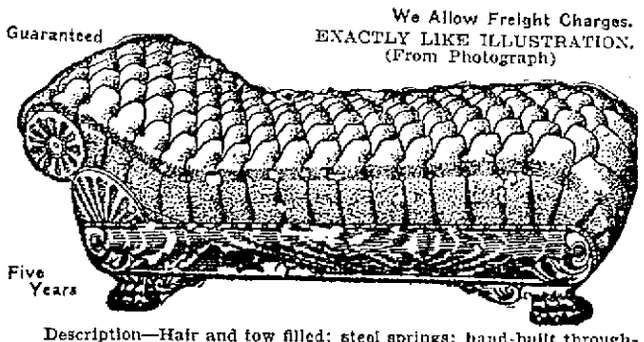

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AUTOMOBILE NEWS

NUMEROUS ENTRIES FOR THE GLIDDEN TOUR

Despite the fact that the Glidden tour will not start before July, Frank B. Hower, chairman of the A. A. A. contest board, reports that he has obtained a number of voluntary entries, and he is confident of a larger entry list than has ever graced the famous Glidden tour. Everybody who is interested is trying to find out from Mr. Hower where the tour is going, but he is preserving this as one of his annual secrets.

It will be the sixth annual contest of the American Automobile Association, and there is a scramble from various sections of the country to secure it. In 1904 it went from New York to St. Louis, in 1905 it went to the White Mountains, in 1906 it went from Buffalo to Bretton Woods, in 1907 it went from Cleveland to New York and in 1908 from Buffalo to Saratoga.

The first announcement which was made some months ago was to the effect that it would this year go from Chicago to Denver, but this, according to Mr. Hower, is not authentic. At the same time he refused to divulge the distance or the route over which the great caravan, consisting of probably more than 100 cars, will pass.

Endurance Run

Starting September 15 from Denver, Colo., there will be a run, a flag to flag reliability and endurance contest to the City of Mexico, a distance of 1600 miles. This kind of a contest has never been run before in the history of the industry, and the ground lying between the two cities and the two countries is one which is well adapted by nature and geographical conditions to try out the capabilities of the car, which will enter the event. It is figured by the originators of the event, that ten days will be consumed in making the distance, and the 1500 miles between Pike's Peak and the Alamo will be divided into ten controls, which, taking into consideration the territory, will give even the best drivers in America something to think about.

The principal prize will be a magnificent trophy, which will be made up of valuable and costly metals peculiar to the two countries, and which has been offered for the competition by Motor Field of Denver. This run will be the first one in the history of the motor car industry, in which a reliability, endurance and mileage trophy has ever been offered for the perfect score tire.

Thousands of Road Signs

Powell Evans, chairman of the American Automobile Association's Touring Information Board, is completing arrangements for the manufacture of about 10,000 wooden road signs, which are to be erected during the coming touring season throughout the districts where roads have not been properly posted.

The Touring Information Board has decided, after considerable deliberation, to use wood signs instead of such as have been erected in the past few years. It is found that the small boy has discovered he can get a great deal of amusement by throwing sticks at the enamel signs, which chip off wherever struck. The new form of wooden sign, which is under consideration by the board appears to be absolutely indestructible. It will be bound with metal and tested by a process which makes it not only fireproof but water and weather-proof.

Mr. Evans says that more than 10,000 new signs will be erected by the A. A. A. as soon as they can be prepared and distributed to the centres of touring where they are most needed.

AERONAUTICS

FIRST GRAND PRIX RACE TO BE HELD FROM INDIANAPOLIS

The Aero Club of America in connection with its affiliated aero clubs in the United States will hold its first grand prize race from Indianapolis June 5. This date is chosen, as it is two days after the full moon of that month and the weather bureau advises that on that date a wind from the west may be expected. Such a wind will carry the balloons in a similar direction to the course followed in the international race from St. Louis in 1907. The winner of the contest will be esteemed the national balloon champion of the United States. Only pilots of the Aero Club of America will be allowed to compete. At present there are eighteen of these pilots, and it is probable the number will be increased before the race will be held under the direction of the Indiana Aero club, recently organized, will soon become affiliated with the Aero Club of America.

The contest is limited to balloons of 77,000 cubic feet capacity with a 5 per cent allowance or under and will be conducted according to the rules of the International Aeronautic Federation. The prize will be a gold cup not to exceed $1,000 in value, and it is expected second and third prizes will be offered by organizations in Indianapolis. The entrance fee will be $25, which will be repaid in case the contestant starts, and entries close promptly at noon on May 1 at the Aero club office. It is believed that if a contestant is fortunate enough to catch a current from the southwest the record made by John Wise will be eclipsed and the probabilities are that the contestant would reach the St. Lawrence valley. The weather bureau says this is a possibility. It was originally intended to hold the race in the fall, but in view of the Fulton flight contest to be held in New York next fall it would be impossible to hold the other event at the same time.

The Aero club of St. Louis proposes to hold a balloon race from St. Louis during the week of October 4. This is in connection with the centennial celebration of the incorporation of St. Louis as a municipality. On account of the Fulton flight contest the same week it will be out of the question for the Aero club of America to take official part in the St. Louis contest.

Albert C. T[illegible] has agreed to give a gold medal of the value of $100 to the Aero club of America to be awarded to the member of that club who makes the longest aeroplane flight as pilot in 1909.

An evening school of applied aeronautics to train men for positions as aerial chauffeurs and aero engineers is now under consideration at the West Side Y. M. C. A. Plans have been completed for an experimental course in aeronautics beginning February 17, and if the experiment develops sufficient interest in the subject and a demand for [illegible] the association will open in the fall [illegible] a set of [illegible] which will deal with aerial navigation. The experiment will take the form of a series of [illegible]. The first lecturer will be Winthrop E. Scarritt of the Aero club. Mr. S[illegible] will speak on "[illegible]" dealing with his trip over London in a balloon. The second lecture will be on March 1, when Augustus Post will speak on the "Practical Side of Aeronautics." On March 8, Wilbur R. Kimball will discuss the "Practicability of Flight."

TAKES CHALLENGE

MacFARLAND TO MEET THADDEUS ROBL

Floyd A. MacFarland, the lanky six days' race winner, now in Paris, is not the kind of a man to let a challenge go unnoticed. Recently Macfarland said that he could do better in long races than in short, and expressed an opinion that he could hold his own with any rider in Europe in a long distance motor paced race.

Thaddeus Robl, the great German pace follower, thought Macfarland was joking and he therefore issued a public challenge to the American to meet him in a 500 kilometers motor paced race on the winter track at Paris for any sum the American might name.

The long-legged Californian no sooner read Roby's defi than he grabbed his trusty fountain pen and scribbled an acceptance. Macfarland agreed upon the Velodrome d'Hiver as the venue and offered to post 5000 francs ($1000) with Les Sports. the instant Robl should do so. The American stipulated that pacing machines equipped according to the French regulations should be employed, but the German wants German pacing machines. The difference is in the matter of rollers. The French regulations require that the roller be fixed 20 centimeters behind the rear wheel, while the German authorities allow 10 centimeters. This is the only point at issue.

The record for 500 kilometers (310 1-2 miles) is 10 hours 36 minutes 4 2-5 seconds. Macfarland thinks he can cover the distance in 8 hours. Robl holds the world's 6 hours motor paced record, the distance being 358 kilometers 544. Parisian "fans" are bristling with excitement over the proposed match which, if held, will be the longest match race ever decided.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS

As a result of beating Wisconsin the Chicago basketball team looks almost certain to be the western champion again.

Oscar Osthoff, the Wisconsin athlete, is putting the shot nearly fifty feet these days. That looks good for a first in the conference games.

Louisiana State University and Tulane university have crews. A chance for some one to report that they will "enter the Poughkeepsie regatta."

There is likely to be a heated discussion over the place for the I. C. A. A. A. A. games this year. Both Cambridge and Philadelphia have many supporters.

Syracuse will get on the water with the crews on March 1. The training table will start soon thereafter. Both Jim Ten Eycks are coaching the new men.

It is suggested now that a five mile run be added to the intercollegiate games program; but the suggestion involves dropping the hammer-throw which rather coppers it.

When Yale visits the Schuylkill Easter week to prepare for the rowing race with Pennsylvania, the Quakers will let the visitors use the coaching launch Franklin, with Captain Kirk thrown in at that.

James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian school athlete, showed good style as a hurdler in the Boston A. A. games last Saturday. Thorpe hitherto has been regarded chiefly as a high jumper—when not on the football field.

Five games are on the Harvard soccer schedule for March and April: March 19, Cornell at Ithaca; March 20, Princeton at Princeton; March 27, Haverford at Cambridge; April 10, Yale at New Haven and April 14, Columbia at Cambridge.

Coach E. H. Ten Eyck of the University of Wisconsin crews says he does not favor reducing the varsity boat race distance to three miles. He points out that four miles on the tidewater of the Hudson is no worse than three miles on a lake.

Syracuse now has a rule which debars an athlete from taking part in other than a college competition in the academic year. That puts an end to athletic clubs and other such competitions by track athletes, basketball and baseball players.

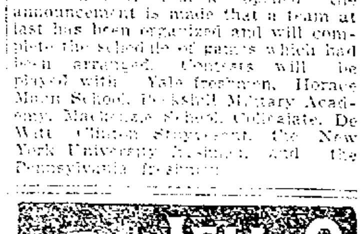
The members of the University of Minnesota basketball team drew the color line in a game against the University of Nebraska, refusing to play against the Cornhuskers as long as Wood, a negro forward, was in the lineup. Nebraska complied under protest and lose the game, 26 to 24.

On Friday, February 5, the Daily Maroon, University of Chicago, predicted Chicago would win a dual indoor meet from Illinois 44 to 42. Saturday, February 6, the Daily Maroon reported the result of the games, 44 to 42. Very fine predicting.

After Yale beat Pennsylvania at basketball a Philadelphian has this to say: "Pennsylvania should have never agreed to Thorp, a Columbia man and Pennsylvania's greatest rival, to referee the game. Thorp may have been square in his rulings, but he has the Columbia style of play in his mind and lets the players hold and rough too much." Not any rougher than this.

Candidates for the Columbia lacrosse team were called out yesterday afternoon for practice in the baseball cage in the gymnasium. The schedule is not complete, but games have been arranged with Cornell, Hobart, Harvard, New York Lacrosse Club, Stevens, C. C. N. Y. and the alumni. A southern trip will be taken on which games will be played with Annapolis and the Mount Washington club. A series of interclass games will be played on South Field with a silver cup as a trophy for the winning class.

After failing to get enough first year men to form a freshman basketball team when the season opened the announcement is made that a team at last has been organized and will complete the schedule of games which had been arranged. Contests will be played with Yale freshmen, Horace Mann School, Peekskill Military Academy, Mackenzie School, Collegiate, De Witt Clinton, Stuyvesant, the New York University freshmen and the Pennsylvania freshmen.



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BASEBALL NOTES

Jimmy Austin, the new infielder of the New York Americans, led the whole country in base stealing last season with 97 steals.

Al Selbach, who played with the New Yorks, Bostons and Washingtons, is to become a magnate. He has obtained an option on the Newark, O., club.

Frank Chance announces that all the differences between him and Charley Murphy have been settled and that he will not only lead the Cubs this year, but for three years in addition.

Noted veterans who have gone back to the minor leagues this year are Seybold, Schreck, McGinnity, Taylor, Collins, Barry, Coughlin, McGann, Pickering, Needham and Courtney.

The Pittsburg club has contracted for 1500 tons of steel for its new grand stand. That's more than is in the polo grounds grand stand, but the Giants reserve most of their steel for the diamond.

The least worried man over the reports that Honus Wagner is going to retire seems to be Barney Dreyfuss. Barney probably feels as does a close friend of Wagner, who says the talk about the Dutchman quitting the game is a joke.

Should the bill introduced in Trenton by Assemblyman Otwell permitting Sunday baseball and other sports become a law it is said that the Philadelphias and Athletics will have grounds in Jersey convenient to Philadelphia and play Sunday games there.

The latest oracular utterance of Clark Griffith is as follows: "The men who make the star ball players are the men who love the game so much that they are looking eagerly forward to the time when spring rolls around and they can get out on the diamond again." Later they look eagerly forward to the time when fall rolls around and they can get off the diamond again.

The latest National league bulletin contains the following: The following contracts and releases have been approved and are hereby promulgated: Contracts—With Boston, J. Chandler Ball, Jake J. Boultes, Frank Bowerman, Wm. F. Dahlen, Claude C. Ritchey, Mike Simon, W. W. Thomas, Thos. Tuckey. With Cincinnati—A. W. Furchner, Harry L. Gasper, Clark C. Griffith, John B. McLean. Releases—By Cincinnati to St. Louis (N. L.), George Ellis. By New York to Milwaukee (A. A.), John C. Barry; to St. Paul (A. A.), Thomas J. Needham; to Charlestown (S. A.), George Paige; to Indianapolis (A. A.), David Scureiber; to Buffalo (E. L.), Luther H. Taylor; and Philadelphia to Jersey City (E. L.), E. E. Courtney.

"John Clarkson never had a superior as a pitcher and never will, "said Fred Pfeffer, who was Chicago's star second baseman under Capt. Anson, the other day. "The Rube Waddells, the Mordecai Browns, the Ed. Walshes and the Christy Mathewsons may come and go and they may tie old John, but none of them will ever stand as his superior. I stood behind him day in and day out and watched his magnificent control, as confident of success, especially in tight places, as I would have been with the United States army behind me. That was Clarkson's long suit. He was master of control. I believe he could put a ball where he wanted it nine times out of ten. He had everything any pitcher ever had as well. His speed was something terrific and he could throw any curve. However, his favorite ball was a drop something like the spitball of today, although he delivered it without the ointment necessary nowadays.

"You must remember that in his day Clarkson had to face that wonderful bunch of hitters of the old Detroit team, when Brouthers, Thompson, Rowe, Ed. Hanlon, Hardy Richardson, Jim White, Dunlap and George Wood were the greatest sluggers on the diamond. Clarkson was their hoodoo. They seldom won a game from him. If I remember rightly John did not lose more than two or three games in all that he pitched against Detroit. I will venture to say that if Clarkson and Kelly, who were the famous battery in 1889, were alive today $50,000 would not buy their releases."

Clarkson, by the way, furnished an amusing incident at Harvard University more than twenty years ago. At that time he was a member of the Chicago team and professional coaches were not allowed at Harvard. Clarkson lived in Cambridge and as he needed early spring practice he used to visit Holmes Field at the invitation of the varsity nine, to pitch against the candidates. The great boxman had shaved off his mustache that year and one day he appeared on the field in a Harvard uniform. As he proceeded to hand up a wonderful assortment of curves a member of the Harvard faculty, who is still at Cambridge, looked him over with evident admiration, after which he went away enthusing over "the new freshman pitcher," as he called him, and he never learned his error.

BOXING GOSSIP

After nearly four months of dodging, Abe Attell, the American featherweight champion, finally has named terms for a match with Jem Driscoll, the wonderful English featherweight, which probably will be accepted immediately. Attell sent a dispatch to New York from New Orleans yesterday to a man who is looking out for his interests to the effect that he would fight Driscoll on February 18 in a ten round bout at 124 pounds, weigh in at 6 o'clock. Manager Gibson of the Fairmont A. C., who has been red hot after the match for a week, then jumped into the negotiations with a proposition which the men probably will accept.

Charles Harvey, manager of Driscoll, when he learned of Attell's conditions was in no hurry to clinch the match without first consulting Driscoll. Ever since Driscoll arrived in this country he has expressed a strong desire to tackle Attell at 126 pounds, ringside, which is the featherweight limit in England. Attell, however, up to ten days ago insisted that he would not take the clever Briton on unless the latter agreed to scale at 122 pounds, ringside, which is generally accepted as the featherweight limit in this country. But owing to adverse criticism in various parts of the country Attell finally offered to make a match at 124 pounds at 6 o'clock, yet did not express a willingness to fight until some time in March, when for a month past Driscoll constantly declared that he would sail for home on February 2[illegible]. As the critics continued to accuse Attell of sidestepping Driscoll the former finally concluded to give way by offering the terms quoted above. Driscoll, after being consulted by Harvey, probably will sign articles, so that this interesting match will be seen in New York Feb. 18 as scheduled two days before the Briton sails away.

Attell is one of the cleverest boxers in the ring, many say the cleverest, but Driscoll is a marvel too in this respect. Attell is his own manager, however, and he has a reputation for being the shrewdest kind of a match maker. When Driscoll met Marto here in a ten round bout recently Attell's spies were at the ringside and they must have sent back words of encouragement to the American champion because he lost no time in making concessions. Attell, it is said, always has looked easy to Driscoll since the former boxed two draws with Owen Moran, one of twenty-five rounds and another of twenty-three rounds.

Driscoll thinks he can beat Moran when they met for the featherweight championship of England in a couple of months, and as Moran easily stood off Attell Driscoll naturally believes he can defeat the American. Experts who know boxers when they see them have repeatedly declared that in a ten round bout Driscoll would lose Attell, but that in a twenty-five round mill Attell might prove the master. At any rate a Driscoll-Attell meeting is sure to create more excitement among fight fans than any close contest that has been decided in the east since the repeal of the Horton law.

Driscoll will have one of the hardest fights of his career, by the way, when he meets Leach Cross in a ten round mill at 125 pounds weigh in at 5 o'clock in the Fairmont A. C. ring tonight. But the wise men were betting 7 to 5 yesterday that Driscoll would defeat Cross and 3 to 1 that Cross would not score a knockout.

Cross said yesterday that he intended to force the issue from the first tap of the gong and that he believed he was fast enough to land a sleep wallop on Driscoll's jaw. Cross argues that he is a faster boxer than Marto and that he will therefore get to Driscoll more easily, in which event the Englishman is bound to be hit hard.

"If he runs into one of Cross' right hand swings," said a Cross camp follower yesterday, "Driscoll will be put away for keeps!" But Driscoll is so much like greased lightning on his feet that the ring sharps do not believe Cross will be able to hit him on a vital spot, while they also predict that the Briton will jab Cross to ribbons. If Driscoll can give ten pounds and a beating to Cross he will be hailed as a wonder. If Cross beats the Englishman it will not injure the latter's reputation as a featherweight nor will it lessen the interest in his coming battle with Attell.

Jabez White, the champion lightweight of England, who has just arrived here in search of a match with Battling Nelson, may be matched with Bert Keyes of New York for a ten round go at the Fairmont A. C.

OWEN MORAN

DEFEATED MATTY BALDWIN IN 12 ROUNDS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Owen Moran, the English lightweight, defeated Matty Baldwin of Charlestown in 12 rounds of a one-sided boxing match at the Armory Athletic association last night. Baldwin had no chance to win at any time. Moran had Baldwin bleeding in the second round and closed his right eye in the 8th. Moran let up in the last two rounds and allowed the bout to go the limit before the decision was given.

In the semi-final Ralph Tickle of Providence, R. I., punished young Nixon of Boston so badly in three rounds that the match was stopped and Tickle given the decision.

In the preliminary Kid Manning of Pawtucket, R. I., defeated Eddie Johnson of New York in eight rounds. Johnson showed up well in the first half of the match but Manning improved and made the last round a fast one, securing the decision.

WORLD'S RECORD

WAS BROKEN BY CLARENCE HAMILTON, SKATER

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10. — Clarence Hamilton of Boston, Mass., last night broke the new world's record for one mile on roller skates, made Monday night by J. N. Mason of Newark, N. J. Hamilton reduced Mason's record of 2.49 3-5 to 2.48 2-5.

YALE DEFEATED HARVARD

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Graduates of Yale and Harvard, playing in the second match of the season for the interclub chess cup, met on six boards at the Yale club yesterday with the result that the Yale sextet defeated the representatives of the Harvard club by the score of 3 1-2 to 2 1-2.

YOUNG CORBETT

HAD THE BETTER OF THE FIGHT

PITTSBURG, Feb. 10.—Young Corbett of New York, former lightweight champion of the world, fought six rounds with Mell Rawser of Pittsburg last night at the Waldemeier auditorium. No decision was given, but Young Corbett had decidedly the better of the fight.

PRIZE IS $2,000

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 10.—Allie Moore, champion speed roller skater of the world, sails on the Campania from New York Wednesday for London to compete for a $2000 first prize and the mile championship of the world. Earl Reynolds, secretary of the Professional Skaters' association, who is in this city, made the announcement last night.

POLO CLUBS MEET

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—More than 40 delegates representing the polo clubs throughout the country, attended the annual meeting of the Polo Association held [illegible] night. H. L. Herbert was re-elected chairman.

The chief matter of business [illegible] arrangement of the [illegible] tournaments and [illegible] national championships. The [illegible] event [illegible] awarded to the Point Judith Country Club of Narragansett from A[illegible] to 14, both the [illegible] and [illegible] championships [illegible] played in [illegible] one tournament.

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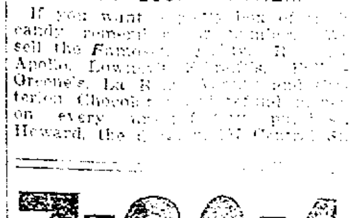

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CITY PREPARED

To Extend a Welcome to Taft

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10.—Although the time scheduled for the arrival in this city for President-elect Taft is still many hours off, New Orleans was today already prepared to greet the distinguished visitor who is expected to land Thursday afternoon on his return to the United States from Panama.

Last night a wireless message brought the news of the arrival at the mouth of the river of the scout cruiser Birmingham which will lie in the offing until the North Carolina and Montana are sighted and will then prepare for the transfer of Mr. Taft who will leave the North Carolina off South Pass and come up the river on the Birmingham.

A heavy thunder storm late yesterday played havoc with many of the decorations and caused some anxiety on the part of those who imagined the storm was also raging in the gulf. The decorations were replaced early today, however, and mariners gave assurances that the North Carolina could not possibly have made such fast speed as to have gotten within the storm area.

CHELMSFORD

Eva Ayotte, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ephraim Ayotte of this village, had a narrow escape while coasting in a field off Warren avenue, Sunday afternoon. The sled took the little one out on the ice of a pond hole in which the water is over seven feet deep, and as she got off the sled the ice broke under her, precipitating her into the icy water. Her mother and a neighbor, Mrs. Bennett, rushed to her assistance, but were unable to reach her. The little one was clinging to the ice nearly exhausted when John Norris of Lowell, who was attracted by the screams, hastened to the scene and, stripping a board from a fence and by wading out to his armpits, succeeded in rescuing the child, who after a hot bath and restoratives was soon all right again.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Augusta A. Stevens, late of Nashua, in the County of Hillsborough, and State of New Hampshire, deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Tax Commissioner for said Commonwealth.

Whereas Abby D. Greene, appointed administratrix of the estate of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Hillsborough, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court her petition representing that as such administratrix she is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposit and interest in Lowell Institution for Savings, Lowell, and praying that she may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as she shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by delivering a copy of said citation to the Tax Commissioner for said Commonwealth fourteen days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of February, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nine.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of Flora E. Forrest, late of Belmont, in the County of Belknap, and State of New Hampshire deceased, or in the personal property hereinafter described, and to the Treasurer and Receiver General of said Commonwealth.

Whereas, George S. Forrest, appointed executor of the will of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Belknap, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court his petition representing that as such executor he is entitled to certain personal property situated in said Commonwealth, to wit: Deposits in Traders' National Bank, Lowell, and Lowell Institution for Savings, and praying that he may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as he shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and convey such estate.

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INFORMATION WANTED

INFORMATION WANTED regarding Dolores J[illegible] and Alice Howe, who [illegible] years ago resided on Water st., [illegible] Concord st., in this city. Relatives by their father, James Howe, who would like to [illegible] them. Any persons who [illegible] information [illegible] Washington Tavern, [illegible] given.

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SIX ROOM TENEMENT at 38 Mead st. to let, all modern conveniences. Bath, pantry and set tubs. Inquire 38 in rear.

AN EXCELLENT WARM BARN with several stalls and yard room on Grove st. to let. Eugene G. Russell, 407 Middlesex st., near depot.

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6-ROOM TENEMENT in Pawtucketville, to let, pleasant, bath, gas, hot water, sewer connection, open plumbing. Two car lines. Apply 89 Varnum ave., phone 1919-1.

TENEMENT—Good and warm, to let at a low rent. Inquire 439 Moody st.

NEARLY NEW APARTMENTS of 6 rooms, pantry, bath, hot water, set tubs, shed, open plumbing, to let, rent reasonable, on Grand st. Apply 237 Middlesex st. Tel. 1379-2.

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FARM WAGON for sale. Is in good condition and will be sold cheap. Inquire 657 Rogers st.

FULL LINE OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS including folding bed, chamber sets, matting, stoves and kitchen furniture to be sold before March first. 34 Broadway.

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ANOTHER LOT SECOND HAND HORSES just arrived, among them a pair of black chunks 2600 lbs., right out of hard work, worth more than a green team, and only cost half as much. One extra good driving horse, five other good horses cheap, and will absolutely be sold in the next four days. Horses clipped by power, $2. 56 Adams st.

TWO POOL TABLES for sale. Inquire 153 Market st. John Billingsley.

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HOME RANGE for sale. Is a brand new stove. Inquire 538 Rogers st.

BUTTER CHEST for sale, almost new; also a nice meat show case with double windows, to be sold at once at low price. Inquire at Victor Pigeon's, Graniteville, Mass.

A LOT OF SECOND HAND DOORS, windows and lumber for sale. Inquire at the corner of Salem and Common sts.

SHOE STORE FOR SALE—One of the oldest and best known retail shoe stores in Lowell. Owner has been in business since 1887. Poor health, the cause of selling. Apply to Sun Office.

FOUR OR FIVE GOOD RELIABLE HORSES for sale, weighing from 1000 to 1600. Are now being used by Mr. Pike in his business. Call 528 Middlesex st.

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MONUMENTAL AND GRANITE WORKS—We can build any design and save you money. We do our own work, own our stone quarries. Estimates cheerfully given. Hall & Gotham, 521 Middlesex st.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

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SECOND HAND Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine wanted. Must be cheap for cash. [illegible] Sun Office.

WHEELER and WILSON drop head sewing machine wanted at once. Will pay a good price. A. S. Edwards, 137 [illegible].

STABLE MANURE wanted. Telephone or address H. W. Foster, Lowell, R. F. D. No. 1.

PAPER NOVELS and other books wanted at Merrill's Book Store, 277 Middlesex st.

50,000 TOBACCO TAGS. Mayo's, Workman, Spear Head, Old Honesty, Master Workman, Horse Shoe and Standard Navy wanted. [illegible] cents per 100. [illegible] pool room, 58 Gorham st., near post office.

TWO SMALL CHILDREN wanted to care for by the week. Address Mrs. Williams, R. F. D. No. 2, Lowell, Mass.

ONE DOLLAR GETS

Brand new Visible Wellington typewriter. Balance to suit. F. M. Linus, 22 Prescott st.

INTERESTING TALK

By Charles Burleigh Before Southwick Textile Club

Charles B Burleigh of the General Electric Co., addressing the Southwick Textile club as to its relation existing between the textile and electrical industries, said in part:

That the textile and electrical industries are more closely allied than you appreciate is perhaps best evidenced by the fact that the electrical concern, with which I am so fortunate as to be connected, sold during the last 12 months one million dollars worth of electrical machinery to textile industries, while during the same period they purchased a like amount of manufactured textile product.

Notwithstanding this reciprocity which has existed for many years, and the fact that no industries are conducted by a higher grade of intellect, there are no two classes of manufacture in which the personnel of each, with a very few exceptions, is less familiar with the scope, characteristics and limitations of the other.

This may, in part, be explained by the fact that the intricacies of each line are so exacting as to make it almost, if not quite, impossible for any individual to gain prominence in his chosen profession and leave him time enough for the required study of the characteristics of an exceedingly complex industry, the complete knowledge of which is, at best, but incident to his ultimate success.

These conditions have resulted in doing more to retard the more complete electrification of textile establishments than many appreciate, for it is a fact that an improperly installed electrical equipment is a positive detriment.

In the early days of electrical development, the many advantages presented by its adaptation to manufacturing industries led to its careful investigation by the progressive textile manufacturers. At the same time the attractive market presented by the textile industry was an alluring bait for the electric manufacturer which led him to dilate on its many advantages, and his profound ignorance of the conditions to be met and the unfamiliarity of the textile people with electrical matters resulted in the installation, to a limited extent, of the only type of generators and motors at that period available, i. e., direct current apparatus. Apparatus at that period as unfitted for textile work would be a gas engine today in a picker room, or a Leonhard governor on a printing machine.

The experience gained by the textile manufacturer from the use of this apparatus was such as to convince him that the electric drive was totally unsuited for his business, and he so informed his associates until this was generally conceded by textile engineers and manufacturers, to the extent that its extensive introduction was delayed many years.

The advent of multi-phase alternating current, however, made available apparatus, the characteristics of which when properly adapted and installed, offered a panacea for all the drawbacks previously encountered in connection with the use of direct-current apparatus. That the many advantages presented by this class of apparatus is appreciated by the textile industry is evidenced by the extent to which it has been adopted.

During the intervening time a few, and a very few, employes of electric manufacturing concerns, appreciating the mistakes made in the early attempts to electrify textile mills, and also appreciating the fact that this industry presented special problems requiring careful study, specialized on this equipment with the result that it is possible today to install such an electrical equipment in a textile mill as will more nearly approach ideal conditions than is possible in connection with almost any other industry.

The flattering results attained by these few electricians previously mentioned have led the majority to feel that being satisfied that alternating current motors are best adapted to textile mill work, the only other necessary conditions to be met is to determine its size.

Many installations have been made on this basis, and the purchaser never having had other experience with the electric drive and becoming familiar with some advantages over former methods is satisfied, not appreciating that there are many other advantages which would have been available at little, if any, additional expense had he availed himself of and given due weight to the advice and recommendations of one of the few who have made this particular application the subject of special study.

I cannot be accused of tooting my own horn in the foregoing statement, from the fact that while I gave considerable time and study to this subject during the early adaptation of alternating current apparatus to textile work, the last five years have been devoted to other lines.

In the meantime this development has advanced by leaps and bounds, to the extent that a large percentage of my former experience and study is antiquated and out of date.

This calls to mind another condition which is a fact, that no matter how advanced in electrical science a student may be on completing his schooling on the subject, his study can never cease and he must so equip himself as to make his knowledge available for commercial application.

This can be more readily accomplished by allying himself with a large electrical manufacturing concern where the problems are more numerous and diversified than he would be brought in contact with in many years of single effort.

Here also he has the benefit of the argument, discussion and advice of his associates, only by the aid of which can he become well grounded in his chosen line, and he only who has once enjoyed these facilities, and abandoned them to start out in a consulting capacity, can appreciate how quickly he becomes a back number if he divorces himself entirely from his former associates.

I will make a bold statement and one with which I do not expect you to agree.

I will admit it to be poor judgment to ask a barber if you need a haircut, but this is a subject on which you should be qualified to pass judgment without advice, but were I a textile manufacturer, contemplating the equipment of a new mill or an addition to an existing one, I would feel that I was best conserving the interests of my stockholders by selecting the electrical manufacturing concern that had been fortunate enough to have had the broadest experience in this line, and place myself in their hands through my mill engineer.

This seems like pretty radical advice, let us, therefore, discuss the effect.

The electric manufacturer has every reason for wishing to promote the success of this line of business; he will, therefore, permanently injure his business by recommending the electric drive where it is not to the advantage of the customer, for one poor installation will do him more injury than a dozen good ones will counteract.

The lower the cost of the electric drive the more popular it becomes. It is, therefore, more to his interest to effect an economical installation than to the purchaser.

Let a dishonest or inefficient electrician make one installation on this basis and fail to do the purchaser justice, and his jealous competitors would make it impossible for him to profit further in this line. On this basis the purchaser's only care need be in making his original selection, and it is obvious that this should be made with great care.

The fact that many textile installations have been made on the foregoing basis during the last ten years has had more to do with the remarkable textile electrical development than any other one feature, and I have yet to learn of an equipment so installed which has proved unsatisfactory in either cost or operation.

In this somewhat extended preamble I have made reference to certain conditions which may be of interest to discuss; for instance, that direct-current apparatus, as at present developed, is totally unfitted for textile work while alternating current apparatus is ideal. The electric equipment of a textile mill consists of generators, switchboard, indicating and recording instruments, switches, conductors, safety devices, lights and motors.

Let us start with the generators. If they are of the direct current type they are subject to limitations. First, the current supplied must be at a given pressure which cannot be changed.

If our local conditions are such as require that the generator be located at any appreciable distance from the motors to be operated the conductors necessary to deliver the current become so large as to be burdensome, to say nothing of their excessive cost, for the reason that 500 volts is the highest pressure for which it is desirable to design direct-current motors for stationary work.

Being unable to procure 500 volt lamps or reduce or change the voltage of our generator, we must install other low voltage generators for our lighting.

In the event of trouble with either of these generators, neither will do the work of the other. Both generators must be equipped with commutators and brushes, on the perfect functioning of which the continuity of operation is dependent, also due to the fact that direct-current generators are available only of the revolving armature type, in which the total delivered current at maximum pressure is carried by the moving member, they are less reliable than alternating current generators of corresponding capacity.

In the event of extensions and enlargement of the plant involving the erection of additional buildings or the acquiring of additional property covering extended areas, the comparatively low voltage made necessary by the use of direct-current apparatus, prohibits the possibility of supplying the whole property from one central distributing power plant, thus increasing fixed charges as well as doubling the labor account.

On the other hand, the use of alternating current generators permits of the adoption of any voltage which local conditions make desirable and the selected voltage capable of any change at any time.

Let us consider a hypothetical case of a mill requiring a power plant of say 2000 h. p., with the buildings and machinery so located as not to represent any excessive distances.

We should select for this installation alternating current generators, because they are most flexible; of the revolting field type, because the part of the generator which must be carefully insulated for the reason that it carries the maximum current at the maximum voltage, remaining stationary is less liable to break down; three phase, because a three-phase circuit will transmit a given amount of energy over a minimum weight of conductors, and also is best fitted for motor work; sixty cycles, because that frequency is most universally used and is best adapted to both motor and lighting work; 600 volts, because our local conditions are such that our investment in dollars or loss in energy in conductors will not be excessive.

Now if we wish to utilize some 200 h. p. of this plant for lighting we can install transformers of this capacity capable of reducing our voltage to 110 and operate our lights from these same generators.

Now let us suppose we have an excellent opportunity to purchase a piece of property—say two miles distant—where it would be desirable to use—say 500 h. p.

We can install transformers of this capacity and raise our 600 volts to—say 2300 volts—transmit it two miles over small inexpensive conductors, and either use it at this pressure or by means of other transformers reduce it to any desired voltage.

It will be seen that the generator voltage in no way limits the distributing voltage which may be anything that local conditions make desirable.

The switchboard and instruments would not present any material differences other than the switches which, for direct current, would be of the open type, while for alternating current would be oil immersed and totally enclosed, less expensive and much safer to handle.

The alternating current conductors at the same voltage would be three-fourths the weight and proportionately lower in cost than the conductors for direct current.

Due to the possibility of utilizing high voltages for transmission lines, distances can be covered at normal conductor cost that would be absolutely prohibitive were direct-current employed.

We now come to the most important item of difference, namely, the motors.

Direct-current motors are, as previously stated, in their present development totally unfitted for textile work.

Direct-current motors being equipped with commutators and brushes make them undesirable from an insurance point of view, and the attention and upkeep required make their use excessively expensive, as well as more or less unreliable.

For the reason that this type of motor required more or less attention, they must be located in accessible places, thus occupying floor space which could otherwise be utilized for producing machinery, but most important of all, the speed of the direct current motor is largely dependent on the strength of the magnetic field in which its armature rotates.

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As to the experimental package of poslam, it can be had free of charge by mail of the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York. It alone is sufficient to clear the complexion overnight, and to rid the face of pimples in twenty-four hours.

SENATOR KNOX

Right to Seat in Cabinet Questioned

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Much discussion has been aroused over a question raised yesterday as to whether Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania, who has been selected to be secretary of state in the Taft cabinet is eligible under the constitution of the United States to accept the office.

Attention has been called to section VII, article 1 of the constitution, which reads as follows:

"No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States, which shall have been created, or the emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time."

During Mr. Knox's present term as senator, the salaries of all cabinet officers were increased from $8000 to $12,000 a year. As the term of Senator Knox does not expire until March 3, 1911, two years after the time when his name would be sent by Mr. Taft to the senate for confirmation, the question is asked if Mr. Knox will be able constitutionally to accept the state portfolio.

Mr. Knox declined to discuss the question when the matter was brought to his attention last night.

The only precedent recalled in a similar case was that of the late Senator Ransom of North California, who was appointed by President Cleveland to be minister to Mexico, the emoluments of which office were raised while Mr. Ransom was a member of the senate. Under the decision rendered by the comptroller of the treasury it was held that Senator Ransom could not become minister to Mexico.

THE DOG SHOW

RICHARD CROKER AMONG THE PRIZE WINNERS

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—George J. Gould, Richard Croker, Jr., and Samuel Untermyer were among the more prominent owners of prize winning dogs at the Westminster Kennel club's annual show in Madison Square Garden yesterday. Mr. Gould's pointer dog, "Furlough Capto," took first prize in the novice class and captured the honors in the class for limit pointers under 55 pounds. Mr. Gould's pointer "Furlough Dusterf" was also a prize winner.

Mr. Croker's bull dog, "Broadway" took first prize for bull dogs over 45 pounds, while Samuel Untermyer's famous collie, "Greystone Glorifier" captured five prizes.

GIVES $1,000

FOR ERECTION OF DRINKING FOUNTAIN IN JAPAN

WARREN, Feb. 10.—Dr. John C. Cutter of this town, one of the few foreigners to receive the Order of the Meiji, or Rising Sun, at the hands of the emperor of Japan, provides in his will, filed here yesterday, for the perpetuaton of the honor. He stipulates that the fact shall be engraved upon his tombstone, together with the usual mention of the time and place of his birth and death. As a further means of keeping his memory in the minds of Japanese people, his last will provides for a bequest to be forwarded by the Japanese legation at Washington to the mayor and council of Sapparo, in Hokaido, Japan, for the purpose of erecting there a public drinking fountain to his memory.

Harvard college is made the principal beneficiary of his estate, valued at about $50,000 although the entire bequest to that institaton is to be held in trust for other purposes.

BOSTON CLUB

CHALLENGED QUINCY CLUB TO SERIES OF RACES

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Chairman Bryan S. Permar of the Boston Yacht club, yesterday formally challenged the Quincy Yacht club to race a series for the Quincy challenge cup, the challenging yacht, which will be of the Sonderklasse, to be named later.

The challenge is the first made this season but in view of the number of boats for this class which will probably be built for the international races with the Germans next summer it is expected many other clubs will also compete.

The Quincy cup is a perpetual challenge cup given by the Quincy Yacht club in 1898, to promote small yacht racing.

MORE ASSOCIATE JUSTICES

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.— The house of representatives yesterday passed a bill increasing the number of associate justices in the superior court from four to five.

The sum of $40,000 for Dartmouth college was appropriated

NEW MASSACHUSETTS CORPORATIONS

Water Power Development Co., Boston; to deal in water power devices of all kinds; capital, $50,000. President and treasurer, Richard F. Barry, No. 141 Milk street, Boston; clerk, Howard C. Fisher, No. 19 Congress street, West Roxbury.

Charles E. Gibson Co., Boston; real estate business; capital, $400,000. President, Charles E. Gibson; treasurer, James S. Gibson, clerk; Charles W. Brown, all of No. 131 State street, Boston.

Worcester Syndicate, Inc., Worcester; general farming and stock raising; capital, $25,000. President, Jerome B. George; treasurer and clerk, Willard A. Winn, both of Worcester.

Staten Co., Melrose; contracting and building; capital, $5000. President and treasurer, Fred N. Staten, Melrose; clerk, Daniel C. Fisher, No. 409 Franklin street, Boston.

Libbie Printing Co., Boston; general printing and publishing; capital, $14,000. President and clerk, Charles F. Libbie, No. 187 Neponset avenue; treasurer, James P. Murphy, No. 78 Rosemont street, both of Dorchester.

DeMerritte School, Inc., Boston; carry on a school in all its branches; capital $50,000. President, Florence DeMerritte; treasurer and clerk, Edwin DeMerritte, both of No. 73 Bellevue street, Boston.

U. S. Grant Cole, Inc., Boston; general restaurant business; capital, $50,000. President and clerk, Charles W. Lavers; treasurer, U. S. Grant Cole, both of Boston.

Boston Plastic Art Co., Boston; manufacture and sell statuary and art objects of all kinds; capital, $50,000. President and treasurer, A. Morris Greenblatt, Boston; clerk, Minnie Cohorn, East Boston.

Hawkridge Bros. Co., Boston; to deal in iron, steel and other metals; capital, $500,000. President, Edwin Hawkridge; treasurer, John F. Hawkridge; clerk, Joseph C. Clapp, all of No. 203 Congress street, Boston.

LINCOLN DAY

WILL NOT BE LEGAL HOLIDAY IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—Lincoln Day in New Hampshire will not be a legal holiday, but will be generally observed. The state senate yesterday killed a bill passed by the house of representatives which aimed to make February 12 this year a holiday. The senate and house agreed on a resolution asking Governor Quinby to proclaim next Friday a Lincoln Memorial Day throughout the state, the governor issuing the proclamation last night.

SUM OF $63,000

HAS BEEN PAID OUT IN STRIKE BENEFITS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Over $63,000 has been paid out in strike and lockout benefits by the International Brotherhood of Papermakers, Pulp and Sulphite and Mill Workers since its last convention, according to the report of International Secretary J. J. O'Connor before that body yesterday. The brotherhood is still in a strong financial condition, however, declared the secretary.

International President J. T. Carey of Watertown, N. Y., condemned the conviction of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, and said his organization would stand behind the men until the end.

Various other reports of officers and committees were heard.

The sessions were continued today, when the remaining reports to be heard were presented.

NOVEL CHARTER

Passed for the City of Claremont

CONCORD, N. H., Feb. 10.—The action of the state house of representatives in passing, yesterday, the bill providing for a city charter for Claremont, is believed to assure a system of government in that city unique among the governments in New England. Up to the last election, Claremont was the largest town in the state, but at that time the citizens voted to adopt a city government and charter.

Under the provisions of the charter the usual ward lines are eliminated and officers are elected without regard to the section of the city in which they reside. Non-partisan politics will obtain, in the election of the mayor and nine councilmen, in whom the city government will be vested. The latter serve without pay. The mayor is given the power of appointing to office several municipal officers who are usually elected by the people. Some of these officers, likewise will have under their supervision the work of customary distinct departments and have the appointive power over them. Provision is made for the removal of the mayor by the city council in case of any abuse of his responsibilities.

LIFE SENTENCE

Imposed on Defendants in Murder Trials

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Two murder trials in Connecticut ended yesterday with the imposition of the life sentence in each instance. John Corsak, a Pole, who killed a companion and threw the body in the water at Milford, and John Bogardus, an enlisted man of the coast artillery, stationed at Fort Trumbull, who, with robbery as the motive, killed Dyer Copeland, a farmer, at New London, were the men sentenced. Two murder trials also started yesterday in the state courts.

YACHT CLUB OFFICERS

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—The Eastern Yacht club at its annual meeting at the Algonquin club last night elected the following officers:

Commodore, Washington B. Thomas; vice-commodore, F. Lewis Clark; rear commodore, Robert W. Emmons; secretary, Henry Taggard; treasurer, Patrick Jackson.

Louis M. Clark and William Carlton succeeded Henry S. A. Moors and A. Appleton Packard on the executive committee.

It was decided to adopt the rules of the Atlantic Coast conference.

Stop Women And Consider

This Fact — that in addressing Mrs. Pinkham you are confiding your private ills to a woman — a woman whose experience with women's diseases covers twenty-five years.

The present Mrs. Pinkham, daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, was for years under her direction, and has ever since her decease continued to advise women.

Many women suffer in silence and drift along from bad to worse, knowing well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty causes them to shrink from exposing themselves to the questions and probable examinations of even their family physician. Such questioning and examination is unnecessary. Without cost you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

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Out of the vast volume of experience which Mrs. Pinkham has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge needed in your case. She asks nothing in return except your good will, and her advice has helped thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, should be glad to take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. Address Mrs. Pinkham, care of Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

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CHINESE APPEAL

Ask President to Give Them Same Rights as Japanese

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 10.—In a telegraphic communication addressed to President Roosevelt and sent yesterday by the Consolidated Benevolent association, better known as the Chinese Six Companies, the attention of the president is called to certain instances where it is affirmed the executive department sought for the Japanese residents of California many rights and privileges that the Chinese have long been denied. The message in part was:

"In view of the commendable and just efforts recently made by you on behalf of the Japanese in regard to certain laws lately proposed and at the present time partly adopted by the legislature of California, now convened at Sacramento, we, the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association, representing the whole Chinese people of the United States feel justified in respectfully calling your attention to certain conditions pertaining to the Chinese, both citizens and aliens, in this country, which are in direct and flagrant conflict with the sentiment expressed by you, both lately and hereafter relative to the Japanese. We also feel it our duty toward those whom we represent respectfully to propound to you certain questions which are of the most vital interest to the Chinese residents of the United States, and answers to which we respectfully but earnestly request. These things we do with all due regard to the dignity of the executive department of the United States and also in the belief that you having so unqualifiedly expressed your views in favor of the Japanese cannot fail to render the same justice to the Chinese when the facts have been laid before the country. We beg leave to refer you, Mr. President, to the fact that there is a discrimination in favor of Japanese aliens as against Chinese citizens, residents and privileged classes of this country.

"Such a discrimination is very apparent from the fact that the department of commerce and labor, governed by the policy of your administration, imposes upon the citizens of Chinese descent domiciled Chinese merchants, their families, the privileged classes of Chinese under the treaty, every conceivable embarrassment which is in no way suffered by the Japanese.

"We appeal to you, Mr. President, to right the wrongs suffered by the Chinese of Reno, state of Nevada, whose property, without due process of law, was destroyed and the occupants turned out in the street homeless and destitute.

"We ask of you to exert a strong protest against the present school laws of California, which discriminate against Chinese children whether citizens or aliens, and we respectfully ask you to assist us in taking these laws into the courts to test their constitutionality, as you have stated you will do regarding any law which may become such, affecting Japanese children.

"It is a well known fact that inspectors of immigration throughout the United States where Chinese are concerned, are violating every letter of the fourth amendment to the constitution of the United States. Chinese are arrested, searched and their papers, the only means by which they may be identified and saved from the humiliation of arrest and deportation, confiscated. Is there no remedy to protect these people from such flagrant injustices?"

The memorial cites various alleged abuses that are charged to the United States immigration officers.

"It is a well known fact," it cites, "that under your administration the immigration inspectors treat the Chinese en route to the east from San Francisco as if they were escaping criminals."

It is pointed out that domiciled Chinese applying for admission to the United States are held in communicado while their right to enter is investigated; that Chinese homes are invaded by immigrant inspectors without fear of reprimand; that Chinese are dragged from their hearths, confined in prison without bail, denied the advice of counsel and even refused the right to consult their own medical advisers. Other alleged abuses are described, and the memorial suggests that the immigration officers are merely obeying the departmental rules and regulations.

President Roosevelt is asked to recommend to congress the enactment of laws eliminating from jurisprudence the "pernicious doctrine laid down by the supreme court of the United States versus Ju Toy, 198 U. S. 253."

The memorial concludes:—

"The cause and effect which prompts our call to you for justice lies near your hand. Knowing your sense of justice to all people of whatever nation, class or condition, we confidently appeal to you, Mr. President, to right the wrongs suffered by native-born citizens and the subjects of the great empire which since our existence as a nation has ever been a firm and good friend of this great nation."

The memorial is signed for the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent association by Ng Nom, secretary, and O. P. Stidger, general counsel.

TRY THIS FOR YOUR COUGH

Mix two ounces of Glycerine with a half-ounce of Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure and a half-pint of straight Whisky. Shake well, and take in doses of a teaspoonful every four hours. This mixture possesses the healing, healthful properties of the Pines, and will break a cold in twenty-four hours and cure any cough that is curable. In having this formula put up, be sure that your druggist uses the genuine Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure, prepared and guaranteed only by the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.

COMMON COUNCIL

Refers Coburn Lot Matter to Committee

The common council met in regular session last night and held a short and rather unimportant meeting.

President Que called to order at 8.15 with 18 members present.

The annual reports of the board of health, fire department and monthly report of the city messenger were ordered on file.

Petition of Capt. Gardner W. Pearson of Co. C for reimbursement from city of $40.83, money expended for long distance range shooting at Walnut Hill, there being no long distance range in this immediate vicinity. This matter was ordered to the committee on claims, as were petitions for personal injuries.

An order transferring the playgrounds or yards connected with schools from the lands and buildings department to the park department was voted.

John order relative to department transfers was adopted in concurrence with board of aldermen.

The Lowell board of trade was given leave to withdraw its petition for the purchase of the Coburn property by the board of aldermen, and the matter was before the council for consideration.

Councilman Wilder wanted to know why the petitioners were given leave to withdraw.

Councilman Jodoin said that with accrued interest and loss of taxation, the city would have paid at the end of ten years $36,000 for the property.

Councilman Wilde moved that the matter be referred to a joint special committee, and it was so voted by a vote of 12 to 10.

Councilman Welch having voted in minority, moved notice of reconsideration at the next meeting.

IRISH QUESTION

DISCUSSED BY THE ELIOT CLUB LAST NIGHT

The John Eliot Literary club met last evening at the hospitable residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horne of Westford street and considered the question of Irish Home Rule, the principal speaker being Rev. E. Victor Bigelow. Mr. Artemus Holden of Nashua read a paper on Charles Stewart Parnell, while another on the Home Rule movement was read by Dana W. Stockbridge. There were numerous Irish readings by John E. Graham and songs by James E. Donnelly, John J. Kelly presiding at the piano. The program concluded with a discussion of the Irish league convention in Dublin by Rev. Mr. Bigelow. Refreshments and a social hour followed.

The next meeting of the club will be held on March 16 at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. VanDuersen of 30 Bellevue street. The evening will be given over to an Irish costume party, and the members of the club will appear in dress representing the various periods of Ireland's greatness.

DIV. 11 A. O. H.

ELECTED OFFICERS TO TAKE CHARGE OF SOCIAL

The regular meeting of Division 11, A. O. H., was held last night in Hibernian hall, and considerable business of importance was transacted. The following officers were elected to take charge of the social to be held in Hibernian hall on Feb. 19: General manager, Michael Connolly; assistant general manager, Patrick Hickey; floor director, Michael M. Quealey; assistant floor director, John F. Duggan; chief aid, Joseph M. Melloy; chairman of reception committee, John H. Hickey; chairman of general committee, John Lally; secretary, William Nelson.

BASKETBALL AT Y. M. C. A.

Thursday evening the Newton Y. M. C. A. first team will play the Brownies, the local first team, at the Young Men's Christian association. The Newton boys are now counted the fastest Y. M. C. A. team in the state, having defeated on their own floor both Haverhill and Boston. The Brownies have never been defeated on their home floor this year.

The Musketaquids will play the Employed Boys' team. A large number of the Musketaquids are expected to "root" for their team. It will be an exciting game.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—Cotton futures opened steady. Feb. 9.55 bid; March 9.64; May 9.56; July 9.52; Aug. 9.41 bid; Oct. 9.34; Dec. 9.29; Jan. 9.27.

THE BURKES WON

Took Two Points From St. John's Team

The Burkes and St. John's of the Catholic league met on the Crescent alleys last night and the former team won two of the three points.

Two games were played in the Corporation league. In one of the games the Boott team defeated the Massachusetts team and in the other game the Lawrence team defeated the Hamiltons by a narrow margin. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE

Burkes—Wynne 292, Higgins 289, Duggan 256, Gleason 262, McCormack 269, total 1378.

St. John's—F. Kinch 229, Larkin 255, Dufley 262, D. Kinch 265, Walker 268, total 1289.

CORPORATION LEAGUE

Boott—Abbott 283, Kirby 268, Gunson 246, Lace 255, Weatherby 292, total 1356.

Massachusetts—Bicknell 261, Cove 228, Kennedy 211, Frobble 245, Moran 268, total 1203.

Lawrence—W. A. S. 249, Climax 278, Robbins 260, Butters 246, Childs 253, total 1286.

Hamilton—Johnson 263, Hovey 245, Marshall 273, Gould 251, Dodge 246, total 1278.

CUDAHY PACKING COMPANY

Lawell—White 201, Aiken 270, Johnson 258, Guthrie 237, Murphy 251, total 1222.

Lawrence—McCarthy 258, Stacey 221, Johnson 220, Sub 226, Wagner 219, total 1140.

EMPIRES WON

Empires—Dayton 262, Kelley 296, Leveque 232, Jordan 266, Frappier 257, total 1314.

M. S. S. C.—Charles 248, Elmore 238, White 254, Blake 260, Davis 283, total 1283.

ROYALS DEFEATED

L. O. P.—J. Choquette 254, Maheney 280, F. Choquette 258, Connolly 260, Shepard 261, total 1351.

Royals—Walsh 267, Courtois 232, Cummings 215, Frenchette 252, Buckley 271, total 1287.

260 SOLDIERS

SAID TO HAVE BEEN LANDED AT TUMBEZ

GUAYAQUIL, Ecuador, Feb. 10.—Considerable excitement has been caused here by the news that the Peruvian gunboat Lima recently arrived at Tumbez, which lies close to the coast near the Ecuadorean border, had landed a military commission with 260 well equipped soldiers. It is believed here that the intention of the commission is to study and prepare plans of the frontier.

The three Japanese who were captured two weeks ago near the Peruvian frontier and brought here by soldiers are still in prison.

COMMITTED SUICIDE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 10.—Charles H. Fisher, a member of the city's board of finance, committed suicide at his home, 1128 Townsend street, last night, by taking carbolic acid. Worry over an investigation of his board is thought to have temporarily unbalanced his mind.

This Backache Recipe Will Also Cure Kidney Trouble

To make up enough of the "Double Action treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore, weak bladder and rheumatism, get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties before you realize it. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after awhile.

ARREST WOMAN

ON CHARGE OF LARCENY OF $2,500

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Hattie E. Roy, aged 48 years, of St. Johnsbury, Vt., was arrested at the North station last night as she stepped from a train from the North, as a fugitive from justice, the police station she is wanted in St. Johnsbury on the charge of the larceny of $2500 from J. L. Peck, a boarder in her home.

ON LINCOLN

REV. MR. WATERS READS PAPER AT EDUCATIONAL CLUB

Rev. Wilson Waters of Chelmsford read an interesting and scholarly paper on Lincoln before the members of the Educational club, yesterday afternoon. Several members of the club also read papers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

COURSE OF LECTURES

John Whitehead, A. M., Th. B., of Boston, the well-known lecturer, will give a course of three free lectures in Middlesex hall, every Thursday evening during February. His subject will be "The Psychical Phenomena of the Bible." This course of lectures has received very favorable mention in Boston. The lecturer brings to bear on the subject the modern developments and investigations of psychical research. He will unfold the nature of these phenomena, explaining how they take place, and showing their bearing on the psychical phenomena of the Bible. The facts bearing on the problem will be given, and the rational steps will be shown by which the life after death is proved.

Mr. Whitehead was formerly president of Urbana university, Urbana, O. He is also a writer of some note, and for the past four years has been engaged in the lecture field.

The New Orleans Times Democrat of Jan. 17th makes the following reference to Mr. Whitehead's lectures in its Boston correspondence:

"Rev. Dr. John Whitehead, of whom I have before spoken as giving courses of Sunday afternoon lectures on the teachings of Swedenborg, is one of the most able, luminous and brilliant expositors of the new church. He is a scientific thinker, familiar with all modern advance, and to learning he adds a singular force and clearness in spiritual thought and a charm of manner in his address, which are among the most interesting and important events of the Boston winter."

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Parisian Sage is guaranteed by Carter & Sherburne to cure dandruff, stop falling hair and scalp itch in two weeks, or money back. It is particularly in demand by women of refinement, who desire soft, luxuriant hair, that compels admiration. Price 50 cents a large bottle by Carter & Sherburne, or direct, all charges prepaid, from the American makers, the Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Children's Gowns, sizes 2 to 14 years.....25c, 39c 50c each
Children's Skirts, lengths 13 to 21 inch.....15c, 25c, 39c each
Misses' Skirts, lengths 23 to 29 inch.....25c, 39c, 50c each
Misses' Skirts, lengths 32 to 36 inch.....50c, 75c, $1 each
Children's Drawers, sizes 0 to 8.....7c, 10c, 15c, 25c, 29c pair

Here you can buy well made, perfect fitting garments at less than cost of materials.

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Sale No. 1

A SALE OF RUGS AND ART SQUARES

(SEE WINDOW DISPLAY)

THURSDAY MORNING, in our Basement salesroom we place on sale a large purchase of BIGELOW AXMINSTER RUGS, in all sizes from 18x36 inches to 9x12 feet, from the Bigelow Carpet Co., of this city. In buying these Rugs, which will be sold at a TREMENDOUS REDUCTION, you also help a local industry—LOWELL RUGS, MADE BY LOWELL PEOPLE. These Rugs were sold to us with the understanding that they were slightly mismatched, but we find in looking them over that it is hardly noticeable. Extra salespeople to serve you.

18x36 Axminster Rugs, former price $1.25, now at 79c
30x60 Axminster Rugs, former price $3.50, now at.....$1.95
36x72 Axminster Rugs, former price $4.00, now at.....$2.95
36x72 Axminster Rugs, former price $4.50, now at.....$3.29
36x63 Arlington Rugs, former price $7.50, now at.....$4.50
6-9x9—7-6x9—7-6x10-6—8-3x10-6—Axminster Rugs, former prices from $12 to $25 will be sold at.....$7.50 to $16.95
9x10-6—9x11-6—9x12—Axminster Rugs, former prices from $25 to $32, will now be sold at.....$12.95 to $19.95
8-3x10-6 Arlington Rugs, former price $35, now at $22.50
In handsome shade of old rose.

In taking inventory last January, HODGES FIBRE CARPET CO. of New York City found at its mills about 700 DRUMMERS' SAMPLES and ART SQUARES in seconds. It immediately notified us and we had them shipped to us at once. Those who did not get any at our last sale will be able to secure some at this sale.

Size 36x36 All Bound Carpet Pieces, will make good rugs, real value 50c, for 19c
Size 36x72 All Bound Carpet Pieces, will make good rugs, real value 98c, for 39c
Size 36x108 All Bound 1-2 of Art Squares, extra heavy, real value $2.50, for 79c
Size 36x108 All Bound 1-2 of Art Squares, extra heavy wool, real value $4.00, for $1.25
9x12 Fiber Art Squares, real value $12, for.....$6.95
9x12 Fiber Art Squares, real value $9, for.....$4.95
7-6x10-6 Fiber Art Squares, real value $7.50, for $3.95

Sale No. 2

A Sale of Fine Hand-Loom Embroideries

(SEE WINDOW DISPLAY)

THURSDAY MORNING, on our main floor, the greatest sale of Embroideries Lowell has ever known starts here. A large embroidery importing firm of New York City has sent us these sample pieces of fine hand-loom Flouncings at ONE-HALF their real value. Never has any house offered such Embroidery Bargains as those which follow. Extra salespeople to serve you.

Hand-loom Swiss and Batiste Insertions, real value 39c, in this sale 19c
Swiss and Batiste Insertions and Edges to match, real value 50c, in this sale 29c
Swiss Flouncings, fine dainty patterns, real value 75c, in this sale 39c
Beautiful Hand-loom Flouncings, 18 to 27 inch, real value $1.00 and $1.25 a yard, in this sale 69c
Handsome Patterns Hand-loom Flouncings, 45 inch, real value $2.00 a yard, in this sale $1.00

Our Apron Sale Is the Talk of the Town

And no wonder, at the prices we quote. You can't get such values at any other place but Gilbride's

Large Plain Lawn Aprons, regular price 19c, in this sale.....10c
Large Gingham Aprons, regular price 20c, in this sale.....15c
Large Gingham Aprons, full size, regular price 25c, this sale.....19c
Large Gingham Aprons, with yoke, regular price 29c, in this sale 19c
Large Percale Aprons, with band or yoke, regular price 29c, in this sale 19c
Black Sateen Aprons, regular price 25c, in this sale 19c
Large Gingham Aprons, with sleeves, regular price 39c, in this sale 39c
Nurses' Bretelle Aprons, 72 inch, regular price 50c, in this sale 39c
Large Gingham Aprons, with sleeves, regular price 75c, in this sale 59c
Dotted Swiss Tea Aprons, worth 25c, in this sale.....15c
Cross Bar Muslin Aprons, worth 25c, in this sale.....19c

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6.27	7.41	7.53	8.55
6.44	7.55	8.15	9.01
7.40	7.30	9.00	9.35
7.51	8.00	10.00	10.37
7.22	8.05	10.21	11.34
7.31	8.50	11.30	12.07
7.44	8.35	12.00	12.56
8.59	9.40	1.00	1.37
10.27	10.55	2.00	3.02
9.35	10.19	3.00	3.37
10.45	11.45	b3.51	5.02
11.36	12.20	a4.14	5.30
12.12	1.00	5.00	5.37
1.16	2.30	b5.21	6.25
2.41	3.33	5.38	6.28
3.57	4.40	b5.51	7.43
4.26	5.20	a6.14	7.30
5.08	6.15	7.30	8.05
6.10	7.19	8.30	9.05
6.35	7.10	10.30	11.35
7.52	8.35	11.20	12.15

WESTERN DIV.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6.30	7.35	x7.00	8.10
8.04	8.55	9.25	10.35
9.60	10.50	10.55	11.62
10.50	11.55	11.50	12.53
12.00	1.05	2.15	3.23
3.10	4.14	3.30	4.30
4.23	5.23	4.59	5.55
5.06	6.12	6.02	7.03
7.00	8.00	6.36	7.45
9.35	10.35	9.35	10.31
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SUNDAY TRAINS

WESTERN DIVISION

8.20	8.24	8.00	9.05
10.10	7.15	12.00	1.55
3.50	8.00	2.15	3.25
5.45	7.00	8.30	4.40
6.50	10.02	5.20	6.58
		8.40	9.42

SUNDAY TRAINS

SOUTHERN DIVISION

5.40	7.35	9.00	10.00
7.22	8.05	10.00	10.37
8.48	9.49	11.30	12.07
9.20	10.15	1.00	1.57
10.50	11.35	5.00	6.02
2.25	3.27	7.30	8.03
5.15	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.24	7.10	9.00	10.02
7.52	8.33	10.20	11.35

LOCAL NEWS

Try Tobin's Printery next time.

It was pretty tough walking today.

Order your coal now at Mullin's, 953 Gorham street. Best coal in the city.

The sidewalks are in quite bad shape today.

The storm did not interfere with the schedule on the B. & N. road.

The street railway men hold forth in Associate hall tonight.

The no-school signal sounded this morning, and there was no session of the schools.

The B. & N. Street Railway Men's annual concert and ball will be held in Associate hall, Thursday night. At the conclusion of the affair special cars will leave for all suburban towns.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned take this means of conveying to their friends and neighbors their heartfelt thanks for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy extended them in the hour of their sorrow, in the death of their beloved husband and father, the late Martin Reidy; and to those who surrounded the bier with beautiful floral tributes. They will ever hold them all in grateful remembrance.

Mrs. Grace Reidy and family.

THE MATHEWS

APPOINTED A NEW HALL COMMITTEE LAST NIGHT

The Mathew Temperance Institute met in regular session last night. There was a large attendance. Three propositions for membership were received and two new members were admitted. A new hall committee to serve one year was appointed by the president. Those named on the committee are: James J. Gallagher, president; George R. O'Neil, Peter F. Brady, John E. Sullivan and James F. Rourke.

Theatre La Scala

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A Put Up Job
The Nurse's Romance
A Living Wreck

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TEN CENTS—THAT'S ALL

Psychical Phenomena, or PROOFS OF LIFE AFTER DEATH. Free lectures by Rev. John Whitehead, A. M., Th. B. Feb. 10—The Psychical Phenomena of the Bible. Were they hallucinations or realities? 8 p. m., Middlesex Hall, 38 Palmer and 95 Middle streets, Lowell. The lectures are supported by voluntary contributions. Questions invited. Public cordially invited

FREE MUSICALE

At Women's Branch of People's Club, Runels Building,

Wednesday, Feb. 10, 7.15 p. m.

Direction Mr. Wilfred Kershaw. Artists—Mr. Harry Needham, bass; Mr. Harry A. Hopkins, tenor; Miss Ella M. Chase, pianist; and a reader. All invited.

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CHARGES MADE

Against Officer Killoy by Members of Boys' Club

Hearing Before the Police Board —The Officer Charged With Assault— Minor Licenses Granted

Patrolman William H. Killoy, who patrols Concord street and vicinity on the early night shift, was given a hearing before the board of police last night on charges of alleged assault on Daniel Rourke, aged 19 years, using profane language and conduct unbecoming an officer.

Prior to the hearing a public session was held in the office of the board and it was while this session was in progress that Mayor George H. Brown put in an appearance, but it was a case of "he walked right in, turned right round, and walked right out again" for "nary a word he said to the board and the same they said to him."

It was 8.10 when the mayor arrived and wholly ignoring the board, approached Clerk Flaherty and asked to have a look at the specifications in the Killoy case. The papers were handed to him and after glancing them through he took a look around the room and then quietly walked out.

The room and the corridor were filled with people at the time the mayor put in an appearance and it was expected that there would be some fireworks, but those who were eager to witness a pyrotechnic display were disappointed.

While discussing an alleged violation at a coffee house in Suffolk street counsel for the coffee house made several insinuating remarks which were quickly taken up by Commissioner Boulger, the latter stating that he for one would not stand for any sarcastic remarks for which there was no foundation.

The hearing in the Killoy case was opened in the police court room at nine o'clock.

The text of the charges was as follows: That on January 27, 1909 Patrolman Killoy used coarse and profane language, was guilty of assault and battery, and conduct unbecoming an officer; that the profane language was his saying to the complainant: "You are a——— fool;" that the officer struck the complainant and knocked him down twice and threatened to take a chance and kick complainant through a window.

Daniel Rourke, the complainant, was the first witness called. He said that he was 19 years of age and resided at 262 Fayette street, knows Patrolman Killoy and is a member of the Belvidere athletic club. Witness said that on one occasion the officer called at the club house and in conversation asked if the place was being used as a den or a hiding place.

Continuing witness said: "On the night of the 27th of January some boys were using the club, and as I was leaving the place Patrolman Killoy said "Get back in there, I want to talk with you." "I went back and he said "What are you doing with all those kids in there?" I told him that I had nothing to do with them.

"I told him that I was not in a hurry but wanted to get out. With that he closed his fist and struck me over the eye. He struck me a second time, this time on the other eye, and I went down to the floor. When I was getting up he struck me again. He then struck me with his mitts. I said to him, 'What do you think I am?' and he said 'I will show you what you are. I will take a chance and kick you out of a window.' I heard him call a fellow in the place a ——— fool and saw him kick Richard Corbett."

Cross-examined witness said that he did not like Patrolman Killoy and acknowledged that the officer had caught him and several other young men playing cards down near the river and had put a stop to their playing. Witness denied that he had participated in any crap games at the clubhouse. Witness said that the officer said he had no objection to the club if it was conducted in a quiet and orderly manner.

William Niland, 14 years, of 1 Concord place, said he was at the club on the night of the alleged assault. Patrolman Killoy called at the place and after holding some conversation with Rourke, said to Rourke, "If you don't sit down I will knock you down" and with that the officer hit Rourke and knocked him down. Subsequent to that the officer struck Rourke twice and said he was too fresh. Witness added that Patrolman Killoy used profane language.

On cross-examination witness said that he and some younger boys took the club from the older boys, but gave the latter the right to frequent the place as they owned the furniture.

Niland said that he had played pitch for quite a while. He said that he and the other kids played on the river bank during the day time while the big fellows played at night, but the latter would not allow the kids into the game. Witness said that his reason for leaving the club was because he had contracted a cold, boxing. He said that the place was closed at 9.30 o'clock at night because that was one of the rules in the book.

Robert Mulin, 14 years, of 76 Andover street corroborated the testimony offered by the preceding witness and said that after the officer had taken the names of the different boys there he told them to go out and not come back. Witness said that none of the gang liked the officer because he chased them away from the corners and they said they would like to have him taken off the beat. He said he had the gloves on the second night and that the experience he had that night was sufficient for him.

Edward Teague, 15 years, also a member of the club, saw the officer "soak" Rourke. He said that the club is still in existence but they intend to cut it out this week as they cannot afford to pay the rent.

Shortly before eleven o'clock the hearing was adjourned till Friday night, Feb. 19.

Minor Licenses

The following minor licenses were granted:

Hawker and peddler Martin F. Connolly, Collinsville; William H. Noyes, 100 Fremont street; Annie Gavaghan, rear 211 Lakeview avenue; Samuel Levenson, 53 Lincoln street; Wiggin Bros., Dracut; Olivo Fournier, 13 Aiken street; Joseph Ledue, 146 Aiken avenue; Alphonse Lantagne, 26 rear 20 Dodge street; Fred H. Wolfe, 11 Cady street; William Boissoneault, 499 Moody street, rear 8; Charles Shapiro, 18 Daly street; Thomas Boissoneault, Jr., 3 Marin place, Moody street; Peter E. McNulty, East Chelmsford.

Common victuallers—Robert Buchan, 99 Adams street; Malkon V. Topolian, 99 Gorham street; Harry Swartz, 580 Middlesex street; Athanasios Metropoulos, 374 Market street; Napoleon Starnaud, 197 Aiken street; Annie Calnin, 933 Central street; Daniel P. Henry, 725 Central street; Abbie F. Rourke, 32 Fifth avenue; Amedee F. Lahaise, 475 Moody street; Nicholas Paparos, 23 Thorndike street; James Georgeopoulos, 420 Suffolk street; Margaret Babcock, 45 John street; William Moran, 122 South street; William L. Smith, 505 Rogers street; Margaret O'Brien, 92 Lawrence street; Mrs. P. A. Hayden, 177 Church street; Mrs. Alice Ellsworth, 6 Davis square; Hagob Babigin, 119 Paige street; Elizabeth Broomhead, 436 Lawrence street; Joseph Tatro, 716 Lakeview avenue; Catherine McPhail, 383 Lakeview avenue; Julia McKenzie, Davis & Winter streets; Delia T. Farrell, 32 Davis street; Lucy A. Mason 139 Powell street.

The billiard and pool license of Peter Anastopoulos was transferred from 48 to 27 Adams street.

A special police warrant was granted Curtis F. Coburn, 49 First street, for the Gospel Mission and vicinity, corner French and George streets.

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INSURANCE TALK

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BY LOUIS D. BRANDEIS AT UNITARIAN CHURCH

Before the Men's Club, Local Business Men Skeptical on the Score of the Guaranty Fund and Free Clerical Work

Louis D. Brandeis, the eminent Boston attorney and promoter of the savings bank insurance system, addressed a large and representative gathering at the dinner of the Unitarian Men's club in the vestry of the Unitarian church last evening. There were present many large employers of labor, notably A. G. Cummock, who evinced a deep interest in the subject, and many bank men, including Mr. Edward B. Carney and Clarence Whidden, who have given the matter considerable thought.

The speaker of the evening was introduced by Chairman Brock, and he spoke in part as follows:

"A large part of the people in this country and in England speak of the English old age pension system as one of the most unfortunate moves that England has ever made. A system by which England is not only imposing upon herself this great financial burden, but is undermining the thrifty character of her people.

"It is a fact that the wage earner, as he lives, consumes practically all that he can earn. It is a world problem. The question therefore is before us, what will America do—primarily, what will Massachusetts do? First, it is necessary to diagnose the case. What is the main cause, or at least a great cause, of the misery that we find in all the communities? Take the cases that you know yourselves, among the working classes. The trouble has been sickness of the breadearner, or an accident, or premature death, or a series of accidents coming on: a period of superannuation and helplessness, long after the little savings had been exhausted."

The speaker's talk was along the general lines already published in The Sun, touching on the workings of this system.

At the close of his remarks Mr. Brandeis invited questions and Chairman Brock called upon Mr. E. B. Carney of the Lowell Institution for Savings. The latter stated that he would rather hear the good points than to suggest its possible disadvantages. He asked Mr. Brandeis to give some information about the guaranty fund system.

The law provides, explained Mr. Brandeis, that a bank may take hold of this insurance either as an agent or as a principal. If merely an agent, it provides no guaranty fund. The bank that issues the policies can start it only with a guaranty fund of not less than $25,000. This fund is provided wholly from without the bank. For instance: In Brockton the guaranty fund was provided by ex-Governor Douglas; and in Whitman, it was provided by a number of men. The money put into the guaranty fund is credited semi-annually with the same rate of interest as the deposits.

Mr. A. G. Cummock applying the case of an agent to himself spoke of the extra clerical work involved in the office of the larger employer of labor who would become an agent. "I would have to open 1000 accounts," said Mr. Cummock.

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